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THE EAST.

[illegible] at an Election in New Orleans.

[illegible] LARGED IN THE SOUTH.

[illegible] of Huntington's Wheat [illegible] —The Standard Theater [illegible] New York Burned—Etc.

[illegible] Romance.

[illegible] Dec. 14.—[Special.]—The will of [illegible] who died in New York on the [illegible] leaving an estate of over $1,100,000 [illegible] During his long residence in [illegible] noted for shrewdness and business [illegible] succeeded in amassing a large [illegible] pawnbroker for the [illegible] The story of his life [illegible] He became the lover of a hand[illegible] and took her to live with him [illegible] laws of Georgia were not kindly [illegible] he applied in 1854 [illegible] to make his marriage legal and give his offspring [illegible] bill was favorably acted upon [illegible] His son [illegible] was sent to Europe and [illegible] returning to Savannah in 1860 [illegible] fell in love with a young [illegible] set her up in business as a [illegible] and gave her the most of his [illegible] This caused a row in the family [illegible] sided with his mother, tried to [illegible] finally committed suicide on [illegible] troubles and his own blighted [illegible] Dillon and his beloved Virginia [illegible] family relatives moved to New [illegible] the colored wife, sued Dillon [illegible] Her case was sustained [illegible] In 1881 he commenced action [illegible] was compromised on the beloved [illegible] to Rachel certain real estate [illegible] the old man, and when Dillon [illegible] left a will, the testamentary provision [illegible] the bulk of his property to his [illegible]

[illegible] Must Be Disinfected.

[illegible] Dec. 14.—Upon recommendation of [illegible] of the marine hospital, the secretary has requested the state [illegible] the United States consul general [illegible] subordinates to inspect all [illegible] export of that country. It is proposed [illegible] boiled, under pressure, or thoroughly [illegible] with sulphurous acid gas, before [illegible] or to [illegible] certify to such [illegible] importance of the matter is [illegible] that there is now belonging to [illegible] over 2000 tons of rags, stored at [illegible] awaiting shipment to the United [illegible] by trans-shipment via Liverpool.

[illegible] Association.

[illegible] Dec. 13.—The distillers in Kentucky [illegible] seventy-five have formed an association [illegible] the production of whisky. An [illegible] signed by men representing half [illegible] capacity of the state.

[illegible] Crookedness.

[illegible] Dec. 13.—The governor has addressed [illegible] to the auditor general asking [illegible] statement of the [illegible] disbursements [illegible] during the extra session. The object [illegible] increase rumors of crookedness.

The War on Fences.

[illegible] Dec. 14.—Adjutant General King [illegible] that the war on fences is at present [illegible] mainly of organized movements, [illegible] and directed by wealthy parties.

[illegible] Library Building.

[illegible] Dec. 14.—[Special] from Ann Arbor [illegible] library building of the Michigan [illegible] was dedicated to-day, [illegible]

[illegible] Interviewed.

[illegible] Dec. 14.—[Special.]—General Butler [illegible] interviewed, he said the old ticket [illegible] the democrats, and Arthur [illegible] the republicans could nominate.

[illegible] Priced Articles.

[illegible] Dec. 13.—In the Japanese department of [illegible] at Washington, Marshall Field paid [illegible] and $3000 for a screen.

[illegible] Charity Ball.

[illegible] Dec. 13.—The United Hebrew societies of [illegible] brilliant charity ball at Battery D, [illegible] netted $11,000.

[illegible] Force of Compositors.

[illegible] Dec. 14.—It is stated that the *Tribune* [illegible] force of non-union compositors at [illegible]

THE FIRE RECORD.

[illegible] Theater at New York Destroyed—Attempt [illegible] to Burn the Casino.

[illegible] Dec. 14.—At 7 o'clock this evening fire [illegible] the Standard theater at Sixth avenue and [illegible] second street, one of the most popular [illegible] places of amusement. Three alarms [illegible] and the fire department responded [illegible] The fire spread rapidly, and by the time [illegible] got to work the flames burst through the [illegible] upper part of the city was illuminated [illegible] an immense throng. When the fire [illegible] was in the theater but a few stage [illegible] two young actresses, rehearsing parts [illegible] the upper [illegible] They had no difficulty [illegible] The alarm was first raised by the [illegible] they saw smoke over a gas [illegible] drop curtain and flies. There was [illegible] the stage by the prompter at the [illegible] A policeman outside the theater said [illegible] smoke coming out of a window. He [illegible] the theater, and according to [illegible] fire was under the stage, and there [illegible] fire above. The two stories [illegible] and the origin of the fire is [illegible] As soon as the flames were discovered [illegible] extinguishers were called into [illegible] but after a few moments [illegible] were abandoned, and those [illegible] were obliged to flee for their [illegible] seems to have been working around [illegible] cut off escape. The flames spread [illegible] rapidity that the whole [illegible] total wreck within an hour. A [illegible] wall in falling crushed in the [illegible] dwelling house, 108 West [illegible] street, causing a loss of $2000 on the [illegible] building was valued at $45,000, and [illegible] stage properties $25,000, which are [illegible] It is said the property was insured for [illegible] The theater was leased and [illegible] management of Brooks & Dickson. A [illegible] entitled "Estrella," was produced [illegible] last Tuesday night, at great expense.

ATTEMPT TO BURN THE CASINO.

[illegible] Dec. 14.—At 11:30 Wednesday night the [illegible] of the Casino theater, Broadway and [illegible] discovered a box filled with shavings [illegible] and saturated with oil, in an unfinished [illegible] in the upper tier. A lighted candle [illegible] in the back of the box. The police [illegible] Edward Rough, stage carpenter, who [illegible] before for disobedience of orders [illegible] by Rudolph Aronson, lessee of [illegible] He confessed his guilt. His motive [illegible] being discharged. He made preparation [illegible] great care, and lighted the candle just [illegible] was rung up for the last act. He supposed [illegible] candle would burn an hour before it [illegible] the combustibles. The opera "Beggar [illegible] was being performed at the Casino, which [illegible] handsomest theater in the country [illegible] of 1500 people was present Wednesday [illegible] audience and members of the company [illegible] when the fire was discovered.

THE DEATH PENALTY.

[illegible] Murderers Hanged in the South in One Day.

[illegible] Dec. 14.—Pleasant Hall (colored) was [illegible] at 3 o'clock, for the murder [illegible] last November. He made the [illegible] that he was ready to die, was going [illegible] Several hundred people were [illegible] negroes. When the drop fell [illegible] not lifted off the platform. Death [illegible] strangulation, after hanging eighteen [illegible]

AN INDIAN MURDERER SHOT.

[illegible] Dec. 14.—Levi James, a Choctaw [illegible] last November of the murder of [illegible] was shot yesterday at Sculyville [illegible] Indian territory, in accordance with [illegible] James sat upon a blanket, and the [illegible] one hand and a deputy another. An [illegible] took position five paces distant, and [illegible] revolver deliberately aimed and shot [illegible] the heart. He died in two minutes. [illegible] educated, of good family and [illegible]

[illegible] MURDERER HANGED.

[illegible] Dec. 14.—Ed Ellis (a negro), was [illegible] for the murder of Mrs. W. Logan, on [illegible] He made the usual address to 3000 [illegible] execution. He was confident that his [illegible] and that he would go straight to [illegible] warned all to beware of whisky. [illegible] sentenced to be hanged to-day, had [illegible] commuted to ten years in the penitentiary.

A MEXICAN HANGED.

[illegible] Tex., Dec. 14.—Juan Duran, a Mexican [illegible] a Chinaman fifty miles south of [illegible] last winter, was executed within the [illegible] jail yard at 12:15 this afternoon, in the [illegible] guard of fifty deputy sheriffs. No one [illegible] [illegible] He made no confession. His [illegible] was almost without precedent.

Eastern Oregon.

[illegible] normal school for eastern Oregon [illegible] is being agitated, it being understood [illegible] Walla Walla is the better [illegible]

[illegible] of the Walla Walla *Statesman* [illegible] by the secret societies [illegible] less than three [illegible] nearly completed, and [illegible] their intention of building [illegible] in the spring.

[illegible] Doane, indicted by the grand [illegible] of murder in the first degree [illegible] was begun on Monday [illegible] of the murdered man are [illegible] Doane. It seems [illegible] to prove that death was caused [illegible] in attendance, and not [illegible] thought that the affair [illegible] circumstances favor the [illegible] it is not actually believed.

HUNTINGTON'S SCHEME.

Interviews With Eastern Men Upon His Wheat Carrying Project.

New York, Dec. 14.—[Special.]—The *Commercial Bulletin* has canvassed the opinion of some of the leading California shippers of this city, regarding Huntington's New Orleans and Liverpool wheat carrying scheme. One of the most prominent merchants said the plan as published was not calculated to succeed. It was well known in commercial circles that grain could not be carried as cheaply by rail as by water. Huntington's scheme necessitated the increased time that was necessary by sailing vessels, in addition to the cost of shipping from San Francisco to the eastern terminus by rail. If he understood the plan it would not work. California wheat suffered less by a long sea voyage than that grown in any other portion of the Union, and attempts to use it in the west had not been successful on this account but in the moist climate of Great Britain, particularly after it had been stored for some time, it was well liked by millers.

Another representative of shipping interests said it was impossible that remunerative freights could be obtained from San Francisco through the Southern Pacific, so long as prices were anywhere near what they are now. It only costs twenty-five shillings to carry a ton of wheat from the Pacific coast to Great Britain, while the cost from Chicago to New York, less than one-sixth the distance, with much competition, is twenty-seven shillings. How Huntington could expect to make the road pay under these circumstances he did not see, even if the necessary cost of running trains were far less. If wheat was sixty or seventy shillings by rail he could probably do a good business, but not at prices below fifty shillings, which had been the average rate for years.

WHAT HUNTINGTON'S REPRESENTATIVE SAYS.

A representative of Huntington said the latter had already tested the value of New Orleans as a shipping port in a profitable experience with the Morgan line of steamships, and has successfully overcome all railway competition between that city and New York, and is satisfied the trans-Atlantic line project will work in the same way. They meant to put vessels of 5000 tons burden on from New Orleans to Liverpool as soon as they could be obtained. If they were not bought by the time the railroad was ready for them they would charter ships. They would be glad to transport as much wheat from California as possible, but the line would not be managed mainly with that end in view—they would take everything. The Southern Pacific carried the products of a large extent of country, and with its branch roads would tap Arkansas and Kansas. All kinds of southern crops were grown along the road and an extension by rail into New Orleans would not only be an advantage to that city but all portions of the southwest.

One of the best informed men in the coal trade, speaking of Huntington's plan to load vessels with coal, said this announcement was very important to the United States. Most of the coal used in San Francisco is imported, and if he brings coal from Washington territory and carries wheat over the Southern Pacific railroad, English and other foreign vessels that are now in that trade will find their profits diminished on both sides. There can be no question that this portion of his business will succeed.

A TERRIBLE TRAGEDY.

A New Orleans Election Row Results in the Death of Three Men.

New Orleans, Dec. 14.—Primary elections of delegates to the democratic state convention was held to-day throughout the city. The contest in the seventh ward was regarded as close, and much ill feeling was shown, which culminated this afternoon in a terrible tragedy at the polls at the corner of Monroe and St. Bernard streets. It appears that a man, name unknown, came up to vote, and was challenged. Captain Foster and brother stated that they tried to get the man away from the polls, but he was finally knocked down or fell down. A shot was then fired, which seemed to be a signal, as the firing instantly became general. The greatest excitement prevailed, the police being powerless against the [illegible]

When the shooting ceased it was found that Captain Michael J. Foster, a prominent Ogden champion, was mortally wounded. He was removed to his residence where he expired in a few minutes. He leaves a wife and three children. Captain Foster is well known as commander of a battery in the [illegible] positive [illegible] at Nashville, Indianapolis and other places.

Gus. Roland, superintendent of streets for the seventh ward, under the administration of Fitzpatrick, was [illegible] up in an unconscious condition and taken to the fifth precinct station, where he died in a little while, four wounds being found on his body. He leaves a wife and one child.

Edward Mason, a deputy constable, received three balls in the leg, which severed an artery. He survived but a short time. He leaves a wife and two children.

Following are the names of the wounded: Sheriff Robert Brewster, John Brewster, Gus. [illegible], Mike Early, Peter Brannon, John Dumonier, Charles Fazio, David Krauskerman, George Tirado, John Acevedo and Charles Fischel.

CRIMINAL CALENDAR.

TRIAL OF MISS BOND'S ALLEGED OUTRAGERS.

St. Louis, Dec. 13.—At the afternoon session the court room was crowded almost to suffocation. Miss Bond having sufficiently recovered from the morning's excitement, was recalled and cross-examination continued, but nothing specially important was brought out. The lady's statement was made in a straightforward way, and her cross-examination remained unbroken. N. V. Schwick, constable of Christian county and Mr. Hemlain, storekeeper at Grove City, were questioned as to conversation had with Montgomery, Pettus and Clements, on June 4, regarding the outrage, and as to whether Pettus and Clements had been arrested and also as to an alleged confession made by Clements, which was somewhat lengthy but not of much apparent importance. The completeness of Miss Bond's identification of Montgomery seems to have produced a general conviction of his guilt, which will take very strong evidence to change. Some rumors of violence are in circulation, but all the law officers are on the alert and any demonstration in that direction will be squelched at once.

THE MEXICAN NATIONAL TRAIN ROBBERS.

Galveston, Dec. 14.—*News'* Laredo special: It is reported that General Cuellar refuses to obey orders from the city of Mexico to arrest Quintero, mayor of New Laredo, on a charge of complicity in the Mexican national train robbery. It is alleged that several of the robbers are known to be in Laredo. No one is willing to assume the responsibility of making affidavits against them.

News' Austin special: Lieutenant Sheehy, commanding the Texas rangers at San Antonio, has telegraphed Adjutant General King, intimating that the Mexican national train robbers are in Texas and that he is able to arrest them, and asking for authority to deliver them to the Mexican authorities. The adjutant general instructed Sheehy not to make the arrest without a warrant and requisition.

FIGHT BETWEEN ITALIANS AND NEGROES.

Nanticoke, Pa., Dec. 14.—A serious riot took place last night at Blue Mountain tunnel, near here, between Italian and negro laborers. During the night two of the latter broke into a shanty containing provisions, and were discovered in the act. An alarm was given, and about 100 Italians attacked the negroes with shot guns and pistols. The negroes being unarmed returned the assault with clubs and stones, but were finally obliged to seek shelter after four of their number had been wounded. One of these was fatally, and the other three quite seriously injured, but will probably recover, although their bodies are filled with shot. This morning the rioting was renewed, and the negroes driven away. Everything is now quiet, and no further trouble is apprehended.

A SWINDLER IN LIMBO.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Carter, the Hawaiian minister in this city, to-day caused the arrest of a man named John B. Stetson, a resident of Honolulu. It seems Stetson attempted to swindle Carter eight years ago, since which time Stetson has served his time in the Ohio penitentiary. A few days ago he personated Smith, a friend of Carter's, and telegraphed the latter, obtaining $50. Hearing he was in Boston, Carter telegraphed, causing his arrest. Carter says Stetson is a member of a prominent family at Honolulu; that his right name is not Stetson. Mr. Carter, out of regard for the family, refuses to divulge Stetson's right name.

SALVATION SOLDIERS DISCHARGED.

New Haven, Dec. 14.—Members of the Salvation Army here were discharged from arrest. The judge said to the captain of the army that he did not believe they would be interfered with for singing, praying and exhorting from the steps of the old state house, but they must not parade the streets beating drums. The chief of police says the army will have to obey the orders of the mayor.

ARREST OF A CANADIAN THIEF.

Denver, Col., Dec. 14.—Alfred B. Howard, who recently absconded from Winnipeg, Man., with $15,000 belonging to Wood and Wells of Milbank, Canada, was arrested here to-day. The entire amount of money was recovered. He was stopping with his wife and child at one of the principal hotels, under the name of Stewart.

CONSPIRED TO ROB HIS BROTHER.

Chicago, Dec. 13.—George W. Spotts, who was once a wealthy merchant of Indianapolis, was to-day arraigned for a conspiracy to rob his brother. The evidence was clear enough, but influence brought to bear secured his release on condition that he would leave the city at once.

NOT THE RIGHT MAN.

Lincoln, Ill., Dec. 13.—Hunter, who was recently arrested in connection with the murder of Zora Burns, proves to be Thomas E. Burns, the son of a respectable farmer of Mason county, Illinois. He was to-day set at liberty and given a small sum of money with which to leave town.

FRANK JAMES TAKEN TO GALLATIN.

Kansas City, Dec. 14.—Frank James was taken to Gallatin this evening to answer to the charge of the murder of Cashier Sheets, in the Gallatin bank robbery in 1879.

A DEFAULTING CASHIER.

New York, Dec. 13.—Ell B. Clark, the cashier of the cotton commission house of Brooks & Goodwin, New York, is a defaulter to the amount of $16,000.

Western Oregon.

At the last session of the county court of Linn county Dr. J. A. Davis resigned as coroner and Dr. E. L. Irving was appointed in his place.

Rev. J. F. Floyd, of Monmouth, has accepted the pastorate of the Christian congregation of Albany.

The Albany *Democrat* is of the opinion that it is not asking too much [illegible] the most intelligent [illegible] subscribers.

A busy *Democrat* [illegible] is engaged in recruiting thirty or forty men to work on the railroad at the bay. About 150 [illegible] have already started for there and there is every indication that active operations are to follow.

[illegible] Boyes of Linn county rode into Albany on Saturday upon a borrowed horse. He exchanged the animal for some clothes and a gun, and started for Polk county. He was arrested at Dixie, and now lies in the Albany jail awaiting trial.

PACIFIC COAST.

Big Fire at New Westminster, British Columbia.

MORE OF THE KILLING OF M'LAUGHLIN.

Citizens of Bisbee Receive Threatening Letters—Important Railroad News—San Francisco Notes—Etc.

Broke Out in a New Place.

San Francisco, Dec. 14.—[Special.]—In accordance with the agreement between the North[ern] and Union Pacific railroads, tickets from San Francisco to the east via Portland, thence over the Oregon Short Line to Granger and Ogden and thence over the Union Pacific to Omaha, were placed on sale to-day. Whether this will conflict with the rules of the Transcontinental association which provides that the Northern Pacific shall keep out of California, remains to be seen, but the agents of other roads are not disposed to regard the movement favorably. The point is that the ticket via the above roads from this city are offered at schedule rates, or in other words, a ticket can be purchased at the same rate via the Oregon short line as over other roads. Instead of the Northern Pacific, the agents to come under the rule must exact the fare from here to Portland in addition to the cost of the ticket from the east. It is claimed on the other hand that the Union Pacific entered the transcontinental association on the condition that the Oregon short line should not be amenable to its rules and that condition was accepted. Objections are not only directed to the passenger movements, but also against the carriage of freight from here east by the same route, the agents of which express the belief that it will prove considerable, as the Central Pacific has heretofore demonstrated its ability to protect its interests. It appears quite probable that the outcome will result in an interesting fight.

Cox Explains the Killing of McLaughlin.

Cox, who shot McLaughlin yesterday, detailed in an interview the circumstances of the meeting. He says he asked McLaughlin for $40,000; that he was in absolute want—beggared, ruined. McLaughlin replied he would compromise for $5000. Cox refused, saying he owed his lawyers $50,000. McLaughlin then said that is all he would give; that Cox could take it or leave it. "Then," said Cox, "I will attach your property." "I have prepared against that," replied McLaughlin; "you can't get a cent." Under the belief that he would not obtain justice in any way, Cox drew a revolver and fired. McLaughlin's friends assert that the books will show that he had paid Cox nearly $210,000 before work was stopped on the Western Pacific road, and that the amount claimed by Cox was always in excess of what really was due him.

The body of McLaughlin has been embalmed. The inquest will be held Monday next.

The *Evening Post*, referring to the tragedy, says it is the direct outcome of a slavish adherence to technicalities by the supreme court of California, which so often ignores equity and outrages justice.

Stanford's Orders Openly Ignored.

San Francisco, Dec. 13.—[Special.]—The disagreement between agents of Missouri lines and commissioner Ristine culminated to-day in open warfare, in which the latter's orders were defied, and, it is believed, according to instructions from headquarters. As things now stand agents of lines involved in the break have resumed the payment of street commissions and offer reductions on both first and third class business. The cuts now given are $10 on the former and $2 50 on the latter. The result of this is that those agents whose lines are represented in the Transcontinental association, and over which Commissioner Ristine has jurisdiction, are loud in complaints of the roads making cuts [illegible] are suspended from sale by the Central Pacific they might as well give up the fight. The importance of the issue will be understood when it is borne in mind that not only is the power of the commissioner attacked, but the continuance of the office to some extent is threatened.

Hancock to Have a Reception.

A grand reception will be tendered General Hancock at the pavilion next Thursday. The city authorities and military and political bodies will take part. Quite a breeze occurred at a meeting of the board of supervisors, while discussing the details of the reception. Supervisor Strother stated that as the general had been tendered the freedom of the city he should pay all his bills. Some dissented, whereupon Strother said the "freedom of the city" meant nothing; if it didn't mean that any digger Indian could enjoy the "freedom of the city," if all it meant was to stay in it as long as he liked, by paying his bills and obeying the laws.

Shipping Intelligence.

Arrived, Dec. 13—British steamer Earnock Castle, Smith, five days from Departure Bay, 2000 tons coal to Dunsmuir, Diggle & Co.; barkentine Portland, Donnelly, twelve days from the Columbia river, 590,000 feet lumber, to Simpson Bros. & Co. Dec. 14—Steamer State of California, Debney, 58 hours from Portland, via Astoria 48 hours, passengers and merchandise, to Goodall, Perkins & Co.; ship Richard III, McIntyre, 20 days from Seattle, 1700 tons coal, to Oregon Improvement Company. Cleared—Steamer Oregon, Pollard, Astoria, O. R. & N. Co. Sailed—Steamer Geo. W. Elder, Harriman, Victoria, and ship Canada, Kalb, Tacoma.

News from Yokohama.

Yokohama associated press dispatches state that the Russian government has released the British schooner Otome, seized while poaching on the Alaska Commercial Company's sealing grounds.

The Japanese government is indignant at the imposition practiced on the Boston exhibition. Exhibits described by Boston journals as a rare collection of ancient historical works of art were modern, manufactured expressly for sale. The government has nothing to do with the exhibit. A valuable private collection, sent by an English amateur, failed to reach in time.

The Case of Percy Jacobus.

The friends of Percy Jacobus, ex-secretary of the Eureka Consolidated Mining Company, arrested on charges of embezzling $10,000 of the company's funds, found on applying for his release on bail that no complaint had been filed against him, although arrested. An effort will be made to secure his release, on a writ of habeas corpus. Jacobus alleges that the false entries were made by the deceased secretary Traylor. This statement is warmly denied by Traylor's friends, who state that no one ever heard him accused of a dishonest act.

Trying to Save O'Donnell's Life.

The Irish National Land League of this city is doing all it can to save the life of O'Donnell. Judge Cooney yesterday received a telegram from United States Senator John F. Miller stating: "Have seen the president. Everything is being done for O'Donnell that can be done."

Ship Overdue.

Fears are expressed for the safety of the American ship Richard the Third, now overdue. The vessel cleared from Seattle the 22d of last month. Since then there have been no tidings of her.

California to be Represented.

The executive department at Washington has requested Governor Stoneman to appoint a commissioner to represent California at the world's fair and cotton centennial to be held in New Orleans.

Shoots His Wife and Kills Himself.

Florence Vincent, a Spaniard, on an arctic whaler, shot and wounded his wife and then blew out his own brains. Jealousy.

PASSENGERS FOR THE NORTH.

The steamship George W. Elder sailed from San Francisco yesterday with the following passengers for Victoria and Puget sound ports:

Victoria—M. P. Light, Mr. Wright, J. M. Langley, C. W. Jenkinson, D. D. McDougall, R. E. Hine, Mrs. R. McKiven, L. Tray, Captain Handy.

Port Townsend—G. Merrick, wife and daughter, J. Rosenthal, C. Grebil.

Seattle—R. H. Withinow, Mrs. Leigh, P. J. Lair, J. F. McDonald, Wm. Newcomb, F. Overman, H. A. Pitts, A. E. Goetz, E. M. Welty, A. Thorne, L. J. Hutchings, T. J. Mock, J. O. Smart and wife, J. Quinn and wife, L. Welch, L. Ingham, Mrs. Dunlap, R. Ogle and two children, D. V. Young, G. W. Aldridge.

Tacoma—Mrs. Daugherty, daughter and son, Mrs. Wildmore, Wm. Herd, John Taylor, W. H. Hobson.

Olympia—H. E. Moore.

UTAH.

Mormon Women at Work.

Salt Lake, Dec. 13.—A large force of Mormon women are going from house to house with a subscription paper. It contains the names for amounts from 25 cents up to $10. The object of the subscription is to obtain the necessary means to assist the Mormons in their efforts to overthrow the Mormon people. Great care is taken to visit only Mormon houses. One canvasser said the intention was to raise means to employ the first class lawyers to work for the interest of the people.

Going to Arizona.

Salt Lake, Dec. 14.—A party of twenty Mormons start to-morrow for Salt river, Arizona, being ordered there by the Mormon authorities to found a new settlement.

ARIZONA.

Citizens of Bisbee Receive Threatening Letters.

Tombstone, Dec. 14.—During the past two days William, Goldwater, Lowenbury and other prominent citizens of Bisbee have received threatening letters. All are addressed in a scrawling hand, and evidently were written by the same person. Following is a copy: "Keep your mouth shut, or you will get shot." These letters are signed, "One of Them." Superintendent Jon Williams, of the Copper Queen, this morning offered a reward of $1000 for information of the sender.

NEVADA.

Mysterious Murder at Virginia.

Virginia, Dec. 14.—Mrs. Mahoney, wife of a watchman of the Sutro Tunnel, living three miles east of the city, was murdered at her house to-day. Her husband left home early in the day, to go hunting. When he returned he found his wife's body outside, with two bullet holes in her head. The affair is shrouded in mystery.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

Not a True Bill Against Judson.

Olympia, Dec. 14.—[Special.]—In the case of the United States versus J. [illegible] Judson, charged with pension frauds, the grand jury finds "Not a true bill."

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Big Fire at New Westminster—Victoria News Notes.

Victoria, Dec. 14.—Sailed—Steamship Mexico for San Francisco, with the following Victoria passengers: Mrs. Hamilton and three children, Miss Thorn, Mr. and Mrs. N. Nelson and two children, Captain O. E. Harrison and wife, Captain Ball, Miss E. Brodley, C. A. Mitchell, Edwin Johnson and wife, G. B. Slater, R. Lipsett, H. W. Augustine, W. H. Wilson, J. McMullen, F. W. H. Wright, Henry Fisher, Mrs. Burns, John Wenn, Gus. Lowengart, Francis Guest, E. H. Barker and three children, and seventeen whites and forty-three Chinamen en route for Hong Kong in the steerage.

A fire broke out about 6:30 this morning in a wooden building in the rear of William Lane's general store, on Columbia street, New Westminster, and in a few minutes the store and the adjoining buildings were one mass of flames. The fire continued to burn fiercely, and great fears were entertained that the principal business houses of the city would fall victims to the destroying element. The brick wall of Deane's new building proved a barrier to the further progress on the upper side, and the exertions of the firemen soon controlled the flames. The fire was under control by 9 o'clock and by noon only smouldering ruins remained. The burned buildings are as follows: Colonial hotel, loss $28,000; insurance, $14,000; Wm. Lane's general store, probable loss $5000; George Mead's barber shop and dwelling, loss $3000; Cleland's saloon, loss unknown; An [illegible], loss unknown; H. Douglas' dwelling house and furniture, loss probably $1000. The offices occupied by Carbould & McColl and by Dr. Beatty were also destroyed. B. W. Deane estimates the damage to his building at $1000, fully insured. Estimated losses from water and removal of goods are as follows: D. McPhaden, $3000; D. S. Curtis & Co., $1000; J. Leiser, $1000; C. M. McNaughton $50.

The steamer Wilmington is placed permanently on the Victoria and San Francisco route.

The bark Mandaly, reported missing, is said to have anchored outside this evening.

IN WALL STREET.

Villard Stocks Suffer from Another Raid by the Bears.

New York, Dec. 14.—Governments strong. Silver $1[illegible],000; Coupons, reported at $1 24½. Stocks were weak and depressed to-day, with Villards and Louisville and Nashville as features. The market opened weak, and declined ⅛@3 per cent., the latter Oregon Transcontinental. The weakness in Villards is due to the circulation of a number of unfavorable reports. It was stated that a large holder has been compelled to liquidate, and that a number of loans on Oregon Transcontinental and North Pacific preferred would be called by the appointment of Fabbri of New York and Endicott of Boston, as a committee to examine the Oregon Transcontinental's books and report upon the condition of the company.

In the afternoon there was a rally of ½@1½ per cent. in the general list and 3½ per cent. in Oregon Navigation. Near the close selling was renewed, and many stocks touched the lowest point of the day. The market left off weak. Compared with last night, closing prices were ⅛@2½ lower, Villards showing the greatest decline.

MORNING REPORT.

New York, Dec. 14.—Bar silver, 1.0½; Central Pacific, 6[illegible]; Burlington, 33⅛; Northern Pacific, 26¾; Northwest, 1[illegible]; New York Central, 113; Panama, 98; Pacific Mail, 42⅛; St. Louis and San Francisco, [illegible]; Texas Pacific, 21⅜; Union Pacific 78½; Wabash, 20¾; Western Union 75¼.

AFTERNOON REPORT.

New York, Dec. 14.—The money market was easy at 2@3½; closed 1½@2. Prime mercantile paper 5@6½. Sterling exchange bankers' bills firmer at 4 81½; sterling exchange, demand, $4 84[illegible].

Bonds—3s, 101⅝; 4½s, 14¾; 4s, 124.

Stocks—American Express, [illegible]; Canada Southern, 54[illegible]; Central Pacific, 65¾; Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, 120½; Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, [illegible]; Denver and Rio Grande, 24¾; Hannibal and St. Joe, 39⅜; Kansas and Texas, 23⅛; Lake Shore, 98[illegible]; Louisville and Nashville, 45[illegible]; Michigan Central, [illegible]; New Jersey Central, 84⅜; Northern Pacific, [illegible]; Northwest, 116⅛; Ohio & Mississippi, 26; Reading, 56⅝; Rock Island, 118⅝; St. Paul, 93⅞; Texas Pacific, 20¾; Union Pacific, 74⅞; United States Express, 57; Wabash Pacific, 20⅛; Pacific preferred, 12½; Erie, 29⅜; New York Central, 116; Pacific Mail, 40½; Panama, 98; Fargo, 116; Western Union, 76[illegible].

RAILROAD NOTES.

GENERAL MANAGER DODGE INTERVIEWED.

Denver, Dec. 14.—Colonel Dodge, general manager of the Denver and Rio Grande, speaking of the reported gossip of this alliance between the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, the Northwestern, and the Denver and Rio Grande roads, in reference to the Union Pacific [illegible], said that while it was [illegible] to such a combination [illegible] on its own road, yet in view of the recent [illegible] of the Union Pacific such an alliance was not altogether improbable, and he was inclined to believe [illegible] could hardly afford to discriminate against the Burlington and the Northwestern, whose [illegible] considerably over 50 per cent. [illegible] competitive business of the entire [illegible]

TO EXAMINE THE ACCOUNTS OF OREGON TRANSCONTINENTAL.

New York, Dec. 14.—The executive committee of the Oregon Transcontinental appointed Endicott of Boston and Fabbri of New York to examine the accounts and securities, so that a statement of the condition of the company can be made to the stockholders.

RAILROADS CONSOLIDATED.

Indianapolis, Dec. 13.—What is known as the Monon route is about to be consolidated with the Louisville, New Albany and Chicago Railroad, thus placing 500 miles of track under one management.

CATCHING THE SWORDFISH.

A Graphic Picture of the Calling Where "Men Must Work and Women Must Weep"—Cruising off the George's Banks.

New York Times.

"I've got a standing offer of $100 for the first young swordfish I can git," said a captain to a correspondent. "You'd think that was a hefty sort of an offer when the fish is only bringin' 8 cents a pound, but there's never been a young [illegible] seen in American waters less nor forty pounds and only one of that. Where do they breed? Wal, that's the very pint. I've been [illegible] around the Cape [illegible] and [illegible] twenty years and never seen one less than four foot long, and I've took thousands of 'em. Yes, it's a big business. I don't know just how many we bring in [illegible] forty or fifty sail right round here [illegible] It makes it a pint to be in [illegible] August and September [illegible] and between the first and 15th of September, in warm [illegible] I've done pretty well and caught as many as seventeen in a day, but that was extraordinary [illegible] We see a [illegible]," and the reporter, who had been talking from the edge of the dock, accepted the invitation and jumped aboard the trim fore and aft schooner, [illegible] and the [illegible] followed.

"There's not very much in the way of sail," the skipper, walking forward. "There you see, is the place where the man stands in striking, and that is merely an iron stanchion standing up from the end of the bowsprit, with a resting pad [illegible] tied to it, so the man can [illegible] in striking. The harpoon is [illegible] and is always kept handy near the rest, all ready [illegible] for an emergency. Why a lily? Well, the prongs are branched [illegible] nothing like a flower. There are four or six barbs, and the whole thing [illegible] an iron cap [illegible] into a wooden handle, about ten feet long, and [illegible] fast to the iron [illegible] about two hundred feet long, the other end being fastened to a keg or barrel. When we're out on the water [illegible] always the foretop, and as soon as he sees a fin [illegible] and the harpooner is out to [illegible] place in the rest, and as soon as the man at the wheel gets sight of the fish, he tries to put it over the bow; then the man [illegible] with the iron [illegible] kept clear [illegible] when it all runs out, being fastened over for [illegible] fish to tow until tired out, and the schooner [illegible] away for another fish. Sometimes [illegible] striking and I struck both [illegible] They [illegible] generally pain [illegible] and easily [illegible] at the fish, at towing [illegible] But sometimes we get a big fellow on, as I had one there [illegible] that [illegible] I've seen one off Nantucket a year or so ago that had been [illegible] We [illegible] all right and I lowered close up, [illegible] and two of the boys jumped into the dory and you had the keg aboard, [illegible] as soon as we touched [illegible] he started off, and I [illegible] might we'd run foul of [illegible] whale. It was an hour before we got the fish alongside, the schooner keeping on by and by, but we [illegible]

"Well, we gradually [illegible] in and I stood up, hauling in [illegible] all ready [illegible] the bottom of the boat [illegible] I gave a lunge [illegible] out, taking the [illegible] between my hands and [illegible] down into the bottom. In the confusion [illegible] a blow [illegible] and the next minute [illegible] a foot into the boat [illegible] had sense enough to grab [illegible] hung on and lashed it with [illegible] alongside the schooner and we got it aboard. He measured fourteen feet—a [illegible] big one. In fair weather they lie mostly on the surface, and whether they are asleep or just sunning themselves [illegible] tell. It's a great sight," he added, "to see them [illegible] along the bony fish. They go just like a cavalry—[illegible] striking up and down, right and left, [illegible] hundreds of [illegible] and I've seen [illegible] keep a-doing it, which shows they kind [illegible] like the fun of it. This season has been [illegible] has been very [illegible] at [illegible] Nantucket, the [illegible] the cape and [illegible] the south and [illegible] is what we [illegible]"

The swordfish is perhaps one of the most interesting of our coast fishes, and the $100 offered for a young one would be as safe as $1, as the [illegible] ocean, on this side of the Atlantic, and the young only being occasionally found out to sea in the [illegible] Atlantic or on the shores of the Mediterranean, where they are followed by the fishermen [illegible] Here a [illegible] is [illegible] having a [illegible] upon which the [illegible] The young [illegible] even if found here, would hardly be recognized, so different are they in appearance from the adults. A young [illegible] seven inches long, resembles anything a young stick [illegible] more than it does a swordfish; with [illegible] like a [illegible] The jaws are equal in length and armed with fine teeth; the eyes are enormous for the size of the body, while from the head over the dorsal and ventral regions extend two sharp spines. When about six inches long, the dorsal fin has become higher, the spines begin to disappear and the upper jaw commences to look like a sword.

A Bright Idea [illegible]

FOREIGN DISPATCHES.

Striking Engineers Worsted by the Canadian Pacific.

WAR NOTES FROM THE SEAT OF OPERATIONS.

The French Ambassador Maltreated by Spanish Officials—Majunga Ports Bombarded by the French—Etc.

CANADA.

WIFE MURDERER HANGED.

Halifax, N. S., Dec. 14.—Enoch Brown (negro) was hanged this morning for the murder of his wife on August 1. The hanging took place in a heavy rainstorm. Brown made a full confession. There were great crowds of negroes outside the jail.

FEVERISH FEELING ON THE EXCHANGE.

Montreal, Dec. 14.—There was a feverish feeling on the stock exchange to-day, owing to the report of an extensive failure in the west, affecting banks here. There was a general decline all round. Some large blocks of Bank of Commerce shares belonging to an estate here, were sold, causing an uneasy feeling.

THE COMPANY GETTING THE BEST OF THE ENGINEERS.

Winnipeg, Dec. 14.—Through the indomitable will of Superintendent Egan the Canadian Pacific is enabled to overcome the effect of the strike and wheels are beginning to move regularly. Three express trains left this morning for the west, east and south, with big engines of the company at the fore. The inconvenience to the public has been comparatively insignificant, considering the firm and defiant stand of the engineers, who will not be taken back unless they sign an agreement with the company. Newspapers express a belief that the strikers have been frozen out, as the company expect about twenty men from the south. A schedule of wages published to-day shows that 124 engineers earned an average of over $200 per month. The company says the workshops will be reopened soon. Business at the road is moving.

THE DOMINION GOVERNMENT AND CHINESE IMMIGRATION.

Ottawa, Dec. 14.—[Special.]—The dominion government is understood to be prepared to take immediate action to prevent an influx of Chinese into British Columbia. Upward of 7000 of these undesirable aliens are without work in that province. They resort to all kinds of depredations to keep themselves alive, and several cases of murder have already been reported. Plundering is their sole means of support. Many of them cross over to United States territory, defying detection and then mingle with their fellow-countrymen. The dominion government has heretofore refused to interfere, on the ground that the contractors of the Canadian Pacific railway could not build the road without Chinese labor. The provincial government are moving in the matter and Sir John Macdonald will now have to accede to the demands of the province, and legislate against Chinese immigration in the coming session.

ENGLAND.

TWENTY-ONE MEN PERISH.

London, Dec. 14.—The steamer Duke, from Liverpool for Rotterdam, was wrecked in the gale of Thursday, and the crew of twenty-one were drowned. The ship Alberta, from Quebec, which was being towed into the Greenock harbor, was caught in the gale, the tow-line was parted and the ship was driven out of sight. There has been no trace of her since.

THE TROUBLE FORETOLD TO GREAT BRITAIN.

London, Dec. 14.—The *Times*' Paris correspondent believes that China [illegible] a basis of arrangement of the pending difficulties with France [illegible] the judgment of England. The correspondent says it is considered certain despite all contrary assertions that there are no Chinese regulars at Bacninh or Sontay, and thus the taking of those places is no longer a casus belli.

O'DONNELL'S CONDUCT APPROVED.

London, Dec. 14.—The Earl of Meath has written a letter to Dublin, a conservative member of parliament for Dublin county, asking him his name and address, and approving Lord [illegible]'s conduct as a protest against the detestable principles of the league.

PARLIAMENT PROROGUED.

London, Dec. 14.—Parliament has been prorogued till February 5th.

FRANCE.

DEATH OF A NOTED FRENCHMAN.

Paris, Dec. 14.—Henri Martin, the well-known historian, is dead. He was born in 1810.

IN THE FRENCH SENATE.

Paris, Dec. 14.—The deputies to-day discussed the estimates of the foreign office. Deputy Deshayes referred to the position of French industries in Egypt and considered the conduct of the French consul during the [illegible] Prime Minister Ferry said that the Egyptian government had [illegible] its responsibility in the matter, and had to-day taken to [illegible]. France would [illegible] that the indemnity was duly paid, and inquiry into the [illegible] made by the council institution.

Paris, Dec. 14.—Prisperil moved in the chamber that the French embassy to the Vatican be abolished. The motion was rejected, 325 to 101.

All the [illegible] of the senate committee on the Tonquin credit are in favor of granting credit. Barthelemy St. Hilaire is president of the commission.

SPAIN.

AMBASSADOR MALTREATED.

Madrid, Dec. 13.—Correspondents say that the French government has telegraphed the Spanish embassador at Paris instructions to make preparations to leave France if it should be proved that the French acted unjustly in the gulf of Guinea.

THE FRENCH EMBASSADOR MALTREATED.

London, Dec. 14.—The *Times*' Madrid dispatch says that few days ago, at a frontier station, on the return of the French embassador from Paris, he was maltreated, not only by threats but also physically assaulted by Spanish officials, who pointed out to him that in walking over his part of the depot he was trespassing on ground prohibited to the public. An exciting scene was only ended when the express started for Madrid.

EGYPT.

EGYPTIAN MATTERS.

Cairo, Dec. 14.—Rumors are current that Nubar Pasha has become minister. Ministers admit there is trouble with the present crisis. Something like a press gang exists to procure recruits for service in the Soudan.

DEATH FROM CHOLERA.

Cairo, Dec. 14.—Four deaths from cholera are recorded in Wednesday near [illegible]

THE SITUATION AT SUAKIM.

Cairo, Dec. 14.—Egyptian authorities are of the opinion that Hicks Pasha's army has been annihilated. Baker Pasha has received news that there is a [illegible] Arab within nine miles of Suakim, including those besieging Tokar and Sinkat. There is a great want of food among the Arabs at Suakim.

MATTERS AT CAIRO.

Cairo, Dec. 14.—It is rumored that the khedive is about to abdicate.

At a cabinet council the ministers of the interior, foreign affairs and justice, declared in favor of Turkish intervention, otherwise they favored English intervention.

THE DISASTER CONFIRMED.

Khartoum, Dec. 14.—Three government couriers from El Obeid fully confirm the first accounts of the massacre of Hicks Pasha's army. Also the account of Hicks Pasha's previous victory. Couriers state that no portion of the Egyptian army is now in Kordofan.

MADAGASCAR.

BOMBARDED BY THE FRENCH.

Tamatave, Dec. 13.—The French continue the bombarding expedition along the coast. They bombarded Mahambo and some small ports along the bay of Vohemar and Hellville. Landing at Vohemar they burned the town and destroyed a quantity of British flags flying. The Hovas retired from the town. The French gave no notice on shore before commencing the bombardment, nor was any offer made regarding the safety of British citizens, by asking them to the ship. On leaving Vohemar the French offered to convey British subjects [illegible] to Tamatave. This offer was accepted, as the people along the coast had lost everything, and feared the vengeance of the natives, who, it was apprehended, might hold them responsible for their misfortunes. While the fleet was passing Mahambo, returning to Tamatave, the French commander observed a Hovas flag again flying, and thereupon resumed bombardment, this being the third assault. After firing many shots the ship passed on, leaving the flag still flying.

ITALY.

THE CROWN PRINCE ON HIS WAY TO ROME.

Rome, Dec. 14.—The pope is consulting with the cardinals concerning the visit of the crown prince of Germany.

Barcelona, Dec. 14.—The German crown prince arrived to-day, and was received at the depot with military honors. The streets are gaily decorated.

HUNGARY.

RUINED BY POKER.

New York, Dec. 14.—[Special.]—*Herald's* special cable [illegible] has [illegible] at an aristocratic Pesth casino, lost at poker over a million florins. To pay his losses obliged to sell his entire property [illegible]

SWITZERLAND.

THE SWISS PEOPLE WARNED.

Berne, Dec. 14.—Schenk, the head of the political department of the federal council, at a military banquet, said: "Be on your guard. Let the Swiss people prepare [illegible] in the country. Many black clouds are gathering on the European horizon, and the war long avoided cannot be escaped after 1884. It may even come next spring."

SOUTH AMERICA.

ECUADOR'S NEW PRESIDENT.

Lima, Dec. 14.—*El Diario* publishes a letter from [illegible] that Arequipa has been evacuated by the Chileans. It also publishes the president's letter to Caceres, claiming the [illegible] of his perfect security.

O'DONNELL'S CHANCES.

The Doomed Man Bids Farewell to His Friends—Another Statement Made.

London, Dec. 13.—Meetings are to be held in various parts of London in support of a movement to secure a respite for O'Donnell. O'Donnell's attorney went to his brother in a penitentiary [illegible] that quoted by Russell in the trial. O'Donnell did not "I never said to Corbett, witness for the prosecution, what he swore about my having [illegible] Carey's life. I do not intend to make any further statements."

O'Donnell took final leave of his friends this morning. His brother was with him and was hoarse. O'Donnell told him that, just previous to the shooting Carey asked him to go below with him to [illegible] gone [illegible] that he would go himself, as he did not care to have his wife see him. O'Donnell went below and Carey followed. While talking Carey said, with an oath, "I believe you know me." O'Donnell replied: "Yes, you are Carey, the informer." Carey then drew a pistol. O'Donnell knocked it up, drew his own pistol and fired. Carey's son was the first person that answered [illegible] He picked up his father's pistol. Beyond this O'Donnell refused to talk on the subject. He is in good spirits and hopeful.

London, Dec. 14.—The *Daily Telegraph* understands that the home secretary has decided that no ground will be interfered with the execution of O'Donnell. In reply to the request of the American government to postpone the execution, pending enquiries in reference to O'Donnell's citizenship, the answer has been sent that the government has carefully considered the whole matter, and is convinced that no reasonable ground has been assigned to warrant a stay of execution.

O'DONNELL'S CHANCES FOR A RESPITE.

London, Dec. 14.—The hangman has arrived to make preparations for the execution of O'Donnell. The American minister says he is not free to discuss steps taken to obtain a respite. He is hampered in approaching the British government by the result of the Lawson case. He reports that O'Donnell's counsel has been unable to get the jurors to join in a memorial for a respite.

THE TONQUIN TROUBLE.

Corroboration of the Reported Poisoning of the King of Annam—War Notes.

La France states that three battalions have been ordered to prepare to embark for Tonquin; that 6000 more volunteers have been called for [illegible] three more battalions. These battalions form a brigade under General Besquivilles.

Le Temps says General Millot will be appointed commander of the land and sea forces in Tonquin with 16,000 men not including those on board the flotilla.

A dispatch from Saigon says there is no room to doubt that the king of Annam was poisoned by the mandarins, Chaupenx, French residents fortified in the citadel at Hue with 100 marines.

NO OFFICIAL ADVICES.

Paris, Dec. 14.—The government is without information relative to the reported revolution in Hue, and the poisoning of the Annamite king. It is well known, however, that the king's position has been a very difficult one since signing the treaty with the French. Eight hundred French troops occupy the forts at Hue and on the river, and several gunboats are in the stream. The government therefore has no fear for the safety of the forces there.

HUE IN A STATE OF ANARCHY.

London, Dec. 14.—A Hanoi dispatch confirms the report of the breaking out of a revolution at Hue, and the poisoning of King Hiephoa. The heir to the throne of Annam is Tu Phoc. The influence of the French mandarins is paramount at Hue, but war against France has been proclaimed. The French [illegible] in charge of Hue [illegible] sufficient [illegible] danger, and rein[forcements] are necessary.

SHIPMENT OF WAR SUPPLIES TO CHINA.

London, Dec. 13.—The British war office is understood to be using evidence in reference to the shipment of supplies and war material to British [illegible] The steamer [illegible] Kow is under orders to [illegible] and is shipping heavy guns and howitzers.

THE FAR FACIFIC INCREASING.

[illegible] Dec. 14.—News from Pekin confirms the report of the activity and increasing influence of the Chinese war party. It is reported that Li Hung Chang will be appointed viceroy of the provinces of Kiang Si and Canton, adjoining Tonquin, and that Marquis Tseng has been appointed viceroy of the province of Pechili.

A HEBREW SNOOZER.

The Jewish Legend from Which Irving Drew Rip Van Winkle.

Choni ha-Maagol was all his life troubled about the true meaning of the biblical passage, "When the Lord turned again the captivity of Zion, we were like them that dream" (Ps. 126, 1). "Can seventy years be regarded as a dream? How is it possible," he asked, "for a man to remain seventy years as in a dream?" One day, while on a journey, he saw a man planting a carob tree, and asked him how long it would be before the tree would [illegible] fruit. "Seventy years," was the reply. "Do you then expect to live seventy years and to eat the fruit?" "When I entered the world," was the answer, "I found carob trees in abundance. Even as my fathers planted for me, so I plant for those that are to come after me." Choni sat down to his meal and fell asleep. [illegible] him, and he slumbered. The rock closed around him, and he [illegible] was hidden from sight [illegible] And there he lay for seventy years. When he awoke and rose, he saw a man gathering of the fruit of the very carob tree he had seen planted. Choni asked: "Dost thou know who it was that planted this tree?" "My grandfather." When Choni knew that he had slept for seventy years. He went to his house and asked where the son of Choni ha-Maagol was. "His son," they told him, "is dead. His grandson you can see if you will." "I am Choni ha-Maagol," he exclaimed, but no one believed him. He went to the house of learning and there he heard the rabbis saying: "We have resolved the difficulty as we used to do when Choni ha-Maagol was here, for in times past, when Choni went to the house of learning, he was able to expound every subject under discussion." "I am Choni ha-Maagol," he cried. But they treated him not as [illegible] he left, the [illegible] prayer was answered. "This," says Ravah, "is the meaning of the saying: 'Either friendship, or death cometh as a blessing.'"—*Jewish Chronicle.*

THE COOKING CRAZE.

The Love of Humbug that Puts Money in an Eastern Woman's Pocket.

San Francisco Spirit of the Times.

Miss Corson, from somewhere, is in the East, engineering a cooking crase at $5 per lesson. She draws well, and hoodwinks old housekeepers of fifty years' practice by her ornamental [illegible] She seems to think this is really a frontier city, and kindly vouchsafes the information that there is such a thing as "white pepper," and some inquisitive one in the audience will timidly ask, "can you buy white pepper in California?" And then she says, "These are 'Brussels sprouts;' I will not give them the vulgar name you give them of 'cabbage sprouts.'" Dear me! Lud-a-mercy! Just to think! This state is 34 years old, and didn't know until Miss Corson came here that Brussels sprouts were Brussels sprouts. As a speculation, Miss Corson is an unqualified success; as a [illegible] of the skillet and stew-pan she is no better than one who, than thousands of other women [illegible] who had never heard that Miss Corson was on earth. These things are simply humbugs, and that is all there is to be said about them. As we said before, it's a money making scheme. Miss Corson has made it a success. But of no earthly practical use. We know a French lady from Limerick that can give Miss Corson 999 in the game of three [illegible] and the cook book, and beat her to a jelly. Experience is the best cook or book on the face of the earth, and there are very few housekeepers that are incapable of trying some new recipe adapted for trial in the afternoon [illegible] It is a matter of course, Miss Corson will pocket thousands of dollars in her department the [illegible] is pay it, that is their business, but the [illegible] thing if it is general result, is about as useful as it is a tonic.

IT DID HIS WORK.

Mr. S. S. Watkins, 5 Coral street, [illegible] says: "I have used St. Jacobs Oil for rheumatism and cure of chilblains, and I [illegible] it a [illegible] both."

The English Commons.

Among the great number of English visitors in this country there has not been one better known than James Bryce, professor of civil law at Oxford university and member of parliament for the [illegible] Hamlets, who made the Villard tour to the Northern Pacific railroad, and is now lecturing before the Harvard students on the political machinery of England. Mr. Bryce is noted as one of the ablest young thinkers, and also as a thorough historian, student and particularly versed in the American national government. He won favor by his previous lectures to the Lowell Institute in Boston two years ago, on the eastern question. Mr. Bryce's first lecture was on the methods by which members of the British commons are chosen. A candidate may be looked upon in his constituency or he may go there from a [illegible] either by the central office of the party in London. Strangers are often thus selected, the boroughs, but candidates for county seats used to be as a rule [illegible] of some well-known county family. It was a difference in England whether a candidate lived in England, Scotland or Wales. In Scotland he stands a better chance if that is the land of his birth. Mr. Bryce declares that English politics could not adopt the American plan of having a member of congress resident of the district he represented, that would keep the ablest man out of parliament. Now, as he pointed out, if an able man or member loses one seat, he can be easily returned from another constituency. In the American system he could not see that the ablest men are certainly counted upon as public servants. "The country," he said, "is deprived of the wisdom and experience of her best citizens in the states which do not have such men made representatives than they would, if their choice of representatives, outside their borders, were free. There is a tendency in England toward bribery [illegible] and Professor Bryce. The [illegible] with the utmost frankness to show the [illegible] candidates work up their constituencies and support in various ways, some legitimate, many others [illegible] touched with [illegible] subscribing to church charities, building [illegible] keeping public houses [illegible] for [illegible] Professor Bryce [illegible] There are 160 small boroughs in the [illegible] and his not more than forty is [illegible] that is, so far as Professor Bryce [illegible] bottom however, he regards [illegible] [illegible] support [illegible] their [illegible] them [illegible] remained.

WASHINGTON.

Coast Members Prepare Amendments to the Restriction Act.

AMERICAN PORK FINDS FRIENDS IN GERMANY.

The President Cables to London the House Resolution Concerning O'Donnell—Congressional News Notes, Etc.

American Pork Finds a Friend.

Washington, Dec. 14.—The state department has received from Wolfgang Schoenle, United States consul at Bremen, Germany, a report containing a synopsis of a letter recently sent to Bismarck by the chamber of commerce, Bremen, protesting against prohibition of the importation of American pork. The protest sets forth: First—That American pork, on account of its wholesomeness and cheapness, enters largely into the diet of working classes and becomes an indispensable article of food; in spite of large and steadily growing consumption not a single case of trichinosis has been brought to the notice of the authorities. Second—Prohibition of the importation of American hog products will very likely suggest to the United States government a policy of reprisal; if that government should impose a prohibitory duty on German stockings and knit goods it would inflict upon German manufacturers a loss of nearly $5,000,000 per annum and reduce whole communities to destitution. In view of these considerations the chamber submits the following petition to the imperial chancellor: "We most respectfully petition your serene highness to intercede and interest yourself that the importation of American pork products be set free again." Consul Schoenle says protesting petitions similar to this have been sent to Bismarck by a number of other chambers of commerce in various parts of the empire.

O'Donnell's Case.

Washington, Dec. 14.—The case of O'Donnell was again under consideration by the cabinet to-day.

The Weather.

Washington, Dec. 14.—Indications for the Pacific coast, fair weather.

CHINESE BILL AGREED UPON.

The Pacific Coast Delegation Unite on Mongolian Restriction Measures.

Washington, Dec. 14.—[Special.]—A meeting of the sub-committee on Chinese matters of the Pacific coast delegation, was held this morning, and a bill amending the Chinese immigration act was agreed upon. A general meeting of the delegation was held at 2 o'clock this afternoon, at which all the senators and representatives from the Pacific coast were present except Mr. Miller, who was occupied elsewhere. Representative Willis of Kentucky, author of the fifteen passenger bill vetoed by Hayes, was present by invitation and took part in the discussion, expressing concurrence in the proposed action of the delegation. Mr. Henley of California presented the report of the subcommittee, which consisted of a bill covering the proposed amendments to the restriction law. The report was taken up seriatim and discussed for fully three hours, the delegation finally agreeing on a bill substantially as reported.

Besides the amendment referred to the bill has two sections covering matters that did not come within the scope of the old law. An amendment to section 15 of the old law enacts that restriction provisions shall include all Chinese or Mongolians, of whatever nation subject, and from whatever country arriving in the United States. This amendment operates to upset the decision of the Massachusetts circuit court, which landed Chinamen because they were subjects of Great Britain, and had resided at Hong Kong, and makes clear the construction of Justice Field, who decided opposite at San Francisco.

Section 4 of the old law is amended by making more stringent provisions concerning identification of Chinese returning on certificates. The amendment provides that no Chinaman shall be landed on a return certificate unless he is unmistakably the same who resided in the country prior to the passage of the original law. Another amendment requires consuls in China to look after the issuance of certificates to traders and inform their government whether persons granted certificates by Chinese officials are bona fide teachers, merchants, &c., mentioned as exempt by the old law from exclusion.

The two new sections were suggested by Mr. Sumner. They are designed to exclude the Chinese now employed on the Canadian Pacific railroad in British Columbia and who intend, when through, to cross into the United States through Washington territory. About 12,000 Mongolians will be shut out by these provisions. The sections enact that all constables and territorial peace officers shall be created deputy United States marshals, with the power to arrest and bring before the United States commissioners all Chinese entering the United States from British Columbia if found to be interlopers. The marshals are empowered to return all such Chinese from whence they came.

The delegation finally adopted the bill and turned it over to Congressman Henley for introduction in the house Monday.

RESTRICTION ACT AMENDMENTS OUTLINED.

Washington, Dec. 14.—Members of the Pacific coast congressional delegation held a meeting to-day for the purpose of agreeing upon a series of amendments to the Chinese restriction bill. There were present Senator Dolph of Oregon, Representatives Sumner, Glascock, Rosecrans, Budd, Henley and Tully of California, Cassidy of Nevada, and George of Oregon. The committee was in secret session from 2 to 7 P. M. Amendments were decided upon, which will be embodied in a bill to be introduced in the house Monday by Henley, to provide for a passport system, substantially identical with that contained in the vetoed twenty-year bill. All Chinese will be required, before leaving or entering the United States to provide themselves certificates containing detailed descriptions of their personal appearance, which must be exhibited to the customs officers of ports of entry or departure; special customs officers are to guard the frontier of British Columbia, in order to prevent unlawful immigration of Chinese from that country. Every constable, justice of the peace, sheriff and deputy sheriff along the border is to have the power and authority of a United States marshal to make arrests for violations of the restriction law. The application of the term "merchant," under which so many Chinese have recently entered the United States, will be clearly defined and held applicable not to peddlers, hucksters, etc., but only to persons actually engaged in business, as the word is properly understood. In view of the recent decision of a Boston judge, to the effect that the present law does not apply to Chinese British subjects, it is proper to amend that law by providing that no native Chinese shall enter the United States except under the legal restrictions. There are a number of regulations of minor importance relating to the enforcement of the proposed new provisions, which were also unanimously agreed upon, and the extra series of amendments will go before the house as the work of the whole Pacific coast congressional delegation.

Congressional Chit-Chat.

DID NOT DISCUSS O'DONNELL'S CASE.

Washington, Dec. 14.—[Special.]—The report that the cabinet to-day considered the case of Patrick O'Donnell is untrue. No action of any description has been taken by the cabinet in the matter. The president in deference to the resolution of the house bringing to his notice O'Donnell's case and asking that the president take steps to secure a respite for the condemned man, to ascertain his citizenship and the facts in relation to his trial, directed the secretary of state to cable to Minister Lowell the resolution with instructions to lay the matter before the British government, and, if possible, obtain a stay of sentence. The cabinet was not informed of the result of Mr. Lowell's negotiations, but it is believed his efforts will be unsuccessful. It is possible, however, that the agitation in London in O'Donnell's behalf, together with the efforts of this government, may result in obtaining for him a short respite.

A QUESTION OFFICIALLY ANSWERED.

Washington, Dec. 14.—Senor Romero, Mexican minister, has received the following telegram from the secretary of the treasury of Mexico:

One of our papers has asked the *Official Journal* as to the accuracy of rumors prevalent to the effect that Senor Rivas has entered into a new agreement with our bondholders, and is coming to Mexico to obtain its approval, and that the executive considers unacceptable the proposition of the committee, and looks upon Rivas' mission as ended. The *Official Journal* replied as follows:

"Rivas was called to Mexico because he had not come to an agreement with the bondholders in London. It is not yet known whether he will bring with him the new proposition offered by the committee."

THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON TERRITORIES.

Washington, Dec. 14.—At a meeting of the senate committee on territories the bill providing a civil government for Alaska, introduced by Harrison, was considered. An amendment providing for the establishment of schools, to be open to the children of both whites and Indians, was adopted, and the bill ordered reported.

The bill authorizing retiring army officers to hold offices in the territories to which they may be elected by the people thereof, was acted upon favorably, and ordered reported.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS.

Washington, Dec. 14.—Democratic members of the house will hold a caucus Monday evening, to elect caucus officers. The question as to whether party matters will be considered at the present congress will not be brought up, owing to the fact that a large number of congressmen have gone home for the holidays. A caucus for this purpose will be held immediately after the holiday recess.

COMMITTEE ON RULES ANNOUNCED.

Washington, Dec. 14.—The house committee on rules announced, as follows: The Speaker, Blackburn, Randall, Keifer and Reed.

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New York.

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Andrew Downing, of Cranbury township, Venango county, gave his child one teaspoonful of *Dr. C. McLane's Vermifuge*, and she passed 177 worms. Next morning, on repetition of the dose, she passed 113 more.

Jonathan Houghman, of West Union, Park county, Iowa, writes, that that he is unable to supply the demand, as the people in his neighborhood say, after a trial of the others, that none is equal to *Dr. C. McLane's Vermifuge*.

New York.

Mrs. Hardy, 110 Suffolk street, writes us that she has been troubled with worms for some three years, and that she used one vial of *Dr. C. McLane's Vermifuge*, prepared by Fleming Bros., Pittsburgh, Pa., which brought away over fifty large worms. Her usual good health immediately returned.

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The Daily Oregonian.

SATURDAY MORNING, DEC. 15, 1883.

LESSONS FROM EXPERIENCE.

It is not pleasant to notice that a certain faction of the republican party is accused at regular intervals, and because of past acts, of trying to resist or reverse the popular will. The Pittsburg *Dispatch*, referring to the recent attempt made by Pennsylvania politicians to arrange matters with President Arthur at Washington for next year, says that these gentlemen are repeating the mistake which a year ago wrecked the party in that state. "Arranging matters was what ruined the Pennsylvania [illegible] party last year, and if the bosses [illegible] on the restoration of the party, it will wreck it again next year." The same course has been pursued in the reported settlement of [illegible] differences in New York with the [illegible] that it presents the usual results of the lion and the lamb lying down together—the lamb having taken up his regular abode inside of the lion. In this settlement, we are informed, Arthur is to be New York's candidate for the presidency and Hiscock is to succeed Lapham in the senate, while Robertson is to be left undisturbed in the collectorship, provided that he uses the custom house influence for Arthur.

It was hoped that this old practice of fixing up slates would be abandoned after the lesson of last year. But the managers have so often succeeded in the past that they seem unwilling to surrender a practice which gives them all the consequence they enjoy. It has been the practice for many years. In the "Thirty Years' View," or a history of the workings of the American government for thirty years, from 1820 to 1850, Thomas H. Benton said: "The election of president has gone from the hands of the people—usurped by irresponsible and, mainly self-constituted bodies—in which the selection becomes the result of a juggle, conducted by a few adroit managers, who baffle the nomination until they are able to govern it, and to substitute their own will for that of the people. Perhaps another example is not upon the [illegible] of a free people voluntarily relinquishing the elective franchise, in a case so great as that of electing their own chief magistrate, and becoming the passive followers of an irresponsible body—juggled, and baffled, and governed by a few dexterous contrivers, always looking to their own interest in the game which they play in putting down and putting up men."

But these good old times for the bosses, the days when a few men could pull the wires and [illegible] the organization record their purposes, are over. The events of the past few years plainly show that republican success is possible only as they keep themselves in the background and leave the rank and file of the party free to select the best man for their candidate. Without the votes of progressive and independent members the republican party will go down and these men will be repelled [illegible] by any attempts to thrust men and a policy upon the party. The indications that the managers have not learned anything from [illegible] make [illegible] be out [illegible] for republican success very gloomy unless the people persist in calling their attention to the fact that they do not propose to relinquish their elective franchise again. Every sign of a return to machine methods must be vehemently opposed. The managers will not surrender, they must die, or the party will die.

The red skies of recent evenings are a puzzling phenomenon for the meteorologist. Such glowing sunsets over the whole continent could not have been caused by ordinary conditions. The red was not in local clouds; but in the sky above the clouds. It has been suggested that some mighty volcanic disturbance has thrown a vast layer of gas or dust into the upper strata of the air, such as was supposed some days after the eruptions at Java to have caused the green sun in India. A correspondent of the San Francisco *Call* thinks these sunsets have been caused by the particles of ashes floating from the Alaskan volcano. These are carried in the upper currents of the air and form, as it were, a canopy. In the ordinary position the sunlight passes through this stratum without producing a visible effect, but when the light is below the stratum, as at sunrise or sunset, and the rays strike the under surface of the ash-laden current, the solid particles form an extended reflecting surface. The sunlight is thus thrown back upon the earth, and causes the beautiful sunsets which have been so much admired. Another conjecture is that the earth has been passing through a region of meteoric dust, reflection from which produces the general effect.

The temperance movement in several of the southern states is making satisfactory progress, and in the moderation and good sense of their methods the temperance people of that section certainly set an example worthy of general imitation. They have kept the movement apart from politics, and have made their fight on moral grounds. A local option system, with high license where the people vote to have liquor sold, is the favorite legal method of restricting the trade, and it has worked so well in Georgia that the traffic is now abolished in most of the counties and remote towns. Under the local option law in South Carolina elections have been recently held in ten of the principal places in the state, and in every case but one the prohibitionists have won. Both parties and both races have divided on this issue, and the color line has not been observed. In Orangeburg, for instance, the capital of a county where the blacks outnumber the whites more than two to one, the anti-license victory was largely due to colored votes. An interesting incident of this Orangeburg contest, by the way, is the statement that "nearly every man addicted to drink voted 'no license.'"

The Springfield *Republican*, in commenting on the late letter of the New York *Times'* correspondent from Wyoming, says: "The only substantial charge, and this is a serious one, against woman suffrage, is that it tends to the corruption of the ballot." He claims that vote-selling and vote-peddling have become gross evils in the city of Cheyenne, and that keepers of evil houses, as well as of reputable boarding houses, sell their voters, men and women, in a lump. A man of small means, but with three daughters, cannot resist the temptation to take pay for the vote of himself, wife and three girls, when in the old way he would have refused to sell his manhood for a paltry $2. A leading officer of the police said: "The bad women are all for sale on election day and the good ones will knife a candidate who does not [illegible] Sunday-close." The charge, in short, is that the vote of the women increases by more than the number of their own vote, the class who can be bought, bullied, manipulated and influenced.

President Arthur in his message favors a modification of the Hawaiian treaty wherever its provisions have been onerous to legitimate trade between the two countries. It is difficult to see how this can be done without abolishing the treaty entirely, for, as the San Francisco *Chronicle* shows, the net result of the treaty has been that, under it our exports have added no more than a dollar out of the treasury for every dollar of their increase, the treaty is used to build up a system of white slavery in the islands, and practically makes sugar to the consumer 25 or 30 per cent. dearer than it was before on this coast.

When the land office at Olympia, W. T., was destroyed by fire, all the records of the office were burned. Duplicates are now being prepared at the United States general land office at Washington by clerks who are making them [illegible]. Copies of all correspondence between the Olympia office and the general land office have been made and sent to Olympia. The other records will now be got ready, [illegible] months to complete the [illegible].

A LEGAL STEAL.

For half a year Pennsylvania has been indignant because its legislature would not adjourn, and now, when it has adjourned, the state is indignant over its shameless salary grab. The facts are as follows: Six months ago Governor Pattison, against the remonstrances of many of his best friends, called the legislature in extra session for the purpose of redistricting the state. The assembly speedily came to a deadlock on party questions, and, although numerous attempts were made to effect a compromise, one side or the other invariably refused to agree to the proposed plan of settlement. In this futile and disgraceful quarreling over a matter which men of fairness and intelligence should have settled in as many days, six months were consumed, and finally an adjournment was taken without the enactment of an apportionment law. Just before the dissolution an appropriation bill for salaries, mileage, etc., was passed and promptly vetoed by the governor for the reason, principally, that the legislature had failed to perform the duty for which it was called and was not, therefore, entitled to compensation. The bill was quickly passed over the executive veto, and the majority of the assemblymen made haste to possess themselves of the sums standing to their credit. In one day the lower house alone drew from the treasury $275,000, and the senate will take at least one half of that amount. As in the case of the congressional grabbers, a few conscientious men refused to take the money, and a few others, having taken it, have returned it to the treasury. While the governor may be subjected justly enough to criticism for calling the session at all, his mistake was nothing more than one of judgment, which may be easily condoned. With the legislators it was different. Having a simple task before them they frittered away the time in vain mouthings, and then, with their duties unperformed, voted themselves full pay and separated. There ought to be an excellent chance in Pennsylvania for the cultivation of a new crop of assemblymen. The regulation in this state, which stops the pay of members after a specified sitting, ought to prevail in all the states.

The extra session Pennsylvania legislature has at last adjourned. The regular session opened early in January, and when that closed in the first part of June, the governor called an extra session for the sole object of making a reapportionment of the state. The republican senate could not agree with the democratic house on the apportionment, but the two houses found no difficulty in agreeing to vote themselves pay for the entire six months, although the house was in session only 112 days and the senate only about eighty days. They even included Sundays among the days for which they take a *per diem* of $10. The governor vetoed their appropriation bill, but it was passed over his veto in both houses. It is encouraging however, to learn that some members have refused to draw their pay for a recess of eleven days which was taken, and that several even decline to take any pay at all for the extra session.

One characteristic of the devil as depicted by Goethe, is the habit of imputing a bad motive to every generous act. The editor of the New York *Commercial Advertiser* lays himself open to this charge in saying of Mr. Tilden's proposition to bequeath his magnificent city residence and its contents to the city of New York, for a public library, that "thus the name of the good old man will be perpetuated, and thus he fondly hopes will be dissipated all remembrance of the railroad wrecking, cipher telegrams, and other things that cast a shadow over his life."

Samuel Sloan, the president of the Delaware and Lackawanna Railroad Company, testified in a New York court the other day that it was common for the same men to act as directors of two or more railroad companies and to make agreements among themselves binding on all the companies. This practice is much too common. But the New Hampshire supreme court says it is not legal, and in no decision, except in one of bad notoriety, recently made in New York, has a court in this country or in England sanctioned the practice.

Indications are not wanting that the democrats are reluctant to abjure their Indian title of "Old man afraid of their policy." The Lynchburg *Virginian* says: "Believing as we do that the country cannot be carried at this time, or next year, upon the policy of free trade, or anything like it, we deprecate at this time any movement in that direction, as fatal to the success of the democratic party in the national struggle of next year."

The reason for Carl Schurz's retirement from editorial work is said to be that "under the friendly guidance of Henry Villard—a fellow German who has treated him better than he has used several Americans—he had made a million." As that is assumed to be more money than an editor ought to have, the only course for him to pursue was to "retire into the profound literary stupor that is the fate of the truly rich men."

The Boston *Advertiser* severely criticises the republican congressmen from Massachusetts who refused to assist in opposing the vote for Keifer. Their support of him, it says, was "not merely a tactical error; it was an instance of timidity, of trimming and of a mistaken feeling that party unity necessarily exists because men vote together for a candidate they do not wish to see promoted."

The fact that all the republican candidates for the presidency who were nominated at Chicago—Lincoln, Grant and Garfield—were elected is recalled as a reason for holding the next convention in that city. This, however, must not be depended upon as an absolute guarantee. No candidate can be elected without the requisite number of votes.

Speaker Carlisle denies that he made a secession speech in Kentucky during the war. So far from having ever been disloyal, he served as a private in a home-defense regiment at one time during the war; and he was able to take the "iron-clad" oath when sworn in as a member of the house.

PATCHES.

A patch am a heap easier to karry 'bout wid yo' dan a tailor's bill dat yo' kyant pay.—*Plantation Philosophy.*

Overheard in a barber shop: Modern Elijah, who inclines to be facetious—"I'm getting to be pretty bald, ain't I? Guess you'll have to cut my hair for about half-price hereafter, eh?" Tonsorial artist, who is equal to the emergency—"Oh, no, sir; we always charge double when we have to hunt for the hair!"

"Look here, young man," said a Cambridge parent to his daughter's lover, when the latter entered the parlor to make his first call of the indoors season, the other night; "look here, you burned up a good deal of coal and kerosene last winter coming around here and staying till 10 and 11 two or three nights a week. Now, I've no objection to your visits, as you are a respectable young man, but you've got to find your own fuel and lights the coming winter. I cannot afford to keep fires running and a lamp burning in this parlor all winter." "All right, sir," responded the young man; "I am willing to share the expense, but you should hardly ask me to bear the whole of it. Suppose you furnish the coal and I furnish the lights. How would that do?" "All right," said the parent, as he turned to leave the room. "I'm willing to bear my share of the expense if you bear yours." "Let's see," said the clear-headed youth, as he sat down by his lady love, "How much oil did we burn last winter, Sadie?" "Why, John," she replied, with a blush, "we didn't burn a lampful during the whole winter."—*Somerville Journal.*

A man of rather verdant mien entered Duffy's shoe store, on Main street, this morning and wanted to know if he could have a boot patched while he was waiting for it. He was sent below to see the cobbler, and stood by while the work was being done. The patch was put on with both neatness and dispatch by the comparatively new process of sticking it, without a stitch taken. Mr. Verdant had never heard of or seen the invention and supposed that the only way to do the job was by the stitching process, and when the shoe doctor handed his boot back without stitching, he took it, carefully looked it over, and then handed it back, saying, "It's all right, sew it on just where it is." Now it was time for the cobbler to look up. "What," he said. "Sew it on. It's all right," was the answer. "It's done," remarked the shoemaker. "Why, gum!" the other ejaculated. "Yes it was done by gum," was the answer. "You can't come the gum game over me," Verdant answered. "I want that patch sewed on." "That's the way we do it nowadays. It's better than stitching." "Do you mean to tell me," said the other, "that a patch stuck on will stay better than one sewed on?" "Yes." "Suppose I get it wet?" "It will stick on all the better." "Well, by gum, I'll try it, but if it comes off you will hear from me, and don't you forget it."—*Hartford Times.*

OLD FURNITURE.

A Lady's Plea that Love of Past Memories is Stronger than Fashion.

Dora Coxey in Philadelphia Call.

I like old furniture, and I always did even before it became fashionable. I never was one of those plentiful particular housekeepers who were more than half ashamed of the now precious heirlooms inherited from their grandfather's days, who thought their possession of such relics indicated poverty and an inability to keep up with the gaudy fashion of the times, and who would willingly exchange the antique mahogany and carving, claw-feet, brass nails and solid, substantial elegance for the modern veneered abominations and glittering gilding and spindle proportions, thereby sacrificing the old at one tithe of its real value. I repeat, I always loved ancient furniture. Contrary to the general opinion of some years ago, I thought that rich old furniture indicated that you had always been somebody, that the new sham and shoddy that your elegance had only lately been acquired.

Now all this is changed; or rather, other people think as I do, and I am no longer dubbed old fogy. I was merely in the height of fashion a little sooner than other folks were, that was all. The particular housekeeper who traded off her grandmother's sofa and sideboard now discovers that she was a heavy loser by the bargain, and would give any price to redeem what she has so wantonly sacrificed. But the purchaser is awake, too. She had no grandmother that she knew of; but no matter; now she has the relics, consequently the credit of one, which amounts to almost the same thing. So Mrs. Purchaser now hugs herself, figuratively, over the rare good fortune of her bargain.

How well, how solidly, how carefully things were made in those days. Mahogany and rosewood were expensive, because commerce then was a very precarious affair. But no matter how expensive were those precious woods, every sideboard, sofa or pier-table required double the quantity that its modern namesakes would. Brass, glue and haircloth were also purchased in [illegible] quantities, owing to the distance from mines and the imperfect means of working them, as well as to the fact that available animals were not so abundant. But it took a large amount of these commodities properly to join and upholster the substantial frames prepared of the rare woods. So it will readily be seen that only the wealthy could indulge in such extravagance as (then) fashionable furniture. And however it may sound in republican America, nothing makes one pat one's self on the back like the thought that one has aristocratic ancestors. No wonder this new form of household art is so popular—it appeals to more than a mere love of art, however sincere that may be. Every old high-back sofa literally kindles a fire before the household gods.

Discontented Workers.

Providence Journal.

We are discontented workers all about us. They feel that they have made a mistake in taking up the trade or profession which they follow, and talk mournfully of the fact that it is now too late to learn some new business, which they imagine to be much better. Many persons nurse this dislike for their own calling into such an incubus of burdensome, unquiet toil, that they look up from it only to sigh and to groan. Such people add to their own misery by the envy they feel at what they imagine to be the easy and well-paid positions of others about them, who are doing a different work, or the same work under more favorable conditions. They are constantly dwelling upon the disagreeable things about it or incident to their calling; and they so magnify what is unpleasant as to completely overshadow everything enjoyable.

Now the fact is, that the disagreeable things of the different pursuits are not so unequally distributed as most people seem to believe. There is something about them all hard to do or hard to bear. People who have tried "living a life of ease," even, have found in the "beds of roses" a good many thorns and were really never so tired as of doing nothing. The creator and law-giver of all did not so constitute things as to make enjoyment depend upon following any particular line of employment. Neither does place have much to do with it, except as we make it good or bad for us. Go where we may we shall still find something to interfere with enjoyment. The climate may be charming, but cyclones may sweep the earth or earthquakes shake us with terror. The fruits may be luscious and be had for the picking, while poisonous reptiles or insects vex us or deadly fevers threaten. Go to a new country to settle you may do well in making money, but lose the society and privileges of older settlements. Go to the city among the hurrying thousands, and yet you may there be more friendless and alone than anywhere else.

It is no given surety of happiness, in these days to be upon a throne even, as some of the present European monarchs might tell you. I think the hardest worked and most sorely tried man in the United States is no less a personage than the president of the country. In fact, neither wealth nor place, nor choice of pursuits will insure exemption from the annoyances inseparable from living upon this globe of ours.

If we thoroughly make up our minds to this, it will help us greatly to appreciate and to be thankful for what is best in our labors. What we should determine to do is, to get enjoyment out of our business, and happiness in our families and social relations. We can school ourselves to find pleasure in what we are doing, so long as it be an honorable or useful work. Shakespeare understood this when he made his grave digger in Hamlet sing at his work. Making a good thing, selling an honest article for a fair price, building, preaching, pleading at the bar, or doing anything calculated to help others, ought to give enjoyments far outweighing ordinary pains and fatigues.

There is, indeed, tedious monotony in many kinds of work, especially mechanical. The present minute division of labor in constructing different articles gives absolutely no variety to large classes of workmen. But here, even, should exist the satisfaction of doing well, and "doing well has something more in it than the fulfilling of a duty; it is the cause of a just sense of elevation of character; it clears and strengthens the spirits; it gives higher reaches of thought; it widens our benevolence, and makes the current of our peculiar affections swift and deep." But "doing well" is something more than executing well. Your friend may whitewash your fence first-rate, but if he grumbles about it all the time, he has not done well. Indeed you will not have him the second time if you can help it. You want a pleasant face as well as a skillful hand. But look out, in the meantime, that you do not grumble about your own work. Look to the end of it, or the good likely to come of it. The mechanic, the farmer, the teamster, the coal-heaver or the street cleaner, even, no less than the business man or the professional worker, should sweeten what is disagreeable about his occupation by thinking what his earnings will do for his family or for others dependent upon him. Said a good natured cobbler, "When I am pegging away I don't think so much of the job or my backache as I do of what I can get with the money for the woman and the babies." That is the true philosophy of the matter. Think of the good which will follow and you can bear things in them which are disagreeable without murmuring.

Brown's Bronchial Troches for Coughs and Colds. "The only article of the kind which has done me good service. I want nothing better." *Rev. R. H. Craig, Otisville, N. Y.* Sold only in boxes.

☞ *Advertisements such as "Wants," "Help Wanted," "To Let," "For Sale," etc., will be inserted for ten cents per line first insertion, five cents per line thereafter. No insertion less than twenty-five cents. These rates apply to cash customers only.*

Deaths, Marriages and Births fifty cents each. Resolutions of Condolence ten cents per line. All transient advertising payable in advance.

MARRIED.

At the St. Charles hotel, on the evening of Dec. 14, by Rev. T. L. Eliot, Kate, eldest daughter of J. L. Hallett of [illegible] City, Oregon, and Alex. E. Aasen of this city.

DIED.

In this city, George Percival, son of [illegible] of Sedonia Single[illegible], aged 1 month and 8 days. Funeral at 2 o'clock from Pine and Alder on Sunday.

R. H. Schwab & Bro., Artistic Printers, have removed to 5 Washington st.

NEW TO-DAY.

$1—UNLAUNDRIED SHIRTS; BEST MADE sole agency, The City Dry Goods Store, 117 Third.

WHITE HEM-STITCHED HANDKERchiefs for embroidering or initials in a nice assortment. OLDS & KING, 84 First st. 1td

ENGRAVING ON WOOD OR METAL AT THE West Shore office, 122 Front. 8d*

A GOOD HORSE TO LET FOR ITS KEEPING at 291 Third street. 15d3*

SALESMEN WANTED. APPLY BETWEEN 8 and 9 A. M. at 92 Morrison street. 15d3

FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping; 87 N. West Park st. 15d6

FOR RENT—FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED room, with or without use of kitchen, at 41 Mill st.

LODGING HOUSES FOR SALE—FROM $500 TO $3000. WELCH & CO., Stark street. 15d3

BUSINESS WANTED—$500 TO 1700. WELCH & CO., Stark street. 15d3

$450—SALOON FOR SALE, CENTRAL LOcation. WELCH & CO., Stark street. 15d

PLEASANT FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT; gas, bath, etc., convenient to street cars. Inquire at 314 Morrison, cor. Pacific sts.

WANTED—BARBER. YOUNG JOHN WILhelm, please call at once at C. KEIM'S, barber shop, Hill's block, Albina. 1t

WANTED—A GOOD DAIRYMAN AND BUTtermaker. Apply to or address DAVID COFFMAN, Forster, Or. 15d4

WANTED—A GIRL TO DO COOKING AND general housework in a small family. Inquire at 130 Pine street, near Sixth. 1t

FOR THE BEST WATCH REPAIRING GO TO Cartwright, late with B. L. Stone. Office 22½ Yamhill, one door from First. 6d*

LOST—PAIR GOLD SLEEVE-BUTTONS WITH initial "B" engraved; on Washington, between First and Thirteenth. The finder will be rewarded on leaving them at this office. 15d2

WANTED—A SMART YOUNG LADY AS cashier; must be quick at figures, and have the best of references; wages $24 per month. BROWN'S Restaurant, Pine street. 15d

STRAYED—CAME TO MY PLACE A DARK RED cow; star on forehead; roll on halter; owner can have same by paying expenses. F. W. RICHARDS, Eighteenth and F streets. 15d1

A FRONT ROOM WITH ALCOVE, BAY-WINdow, large closet and use of bath. Also single room; board next door if required. No. 229 Fifth st., between Salmon and Main. 15d6

FOR RENT—THREE UNFURNISHED ROOMS suitable for housekeeping. Also large furnished room suitable for two gents or gentleman and wife; 52 [illegible] street. 1t

NICE LOT OF FRESH SHRIMPS, CRABS AND eastern oysters, received this morning by steamer at E. RICHARDS', corner Fourth and Washington. 1t

FOR RENT—NEAT COTTAGE OF FIVE ROOMS; north side Sherman street, between Third and Fourth; rent low; furniture at great sacrifice, if sold before Monday noon. 15d2-1t

WANTED—A SITUATION AS COPYIST OR as saleslady by young woman of experience. Address "S. E. C.," care P. O. Box 17. 15d

WANTED—A SITUATION AS DRUG CLERK by a young man who has had 15 years' experience in the retail business. Inquire at St. Charles hotel, room No. 117. 15d4

PARTNER WANTED—$1500 WILL BUY HALF interest in lease, stock and fixtures of one of the most profitable businesses in Portland, on First street, doing the most profitable business in Portland. Good reasons for selling; bear investigation. Address [illegible], this office. 15d3

FOR RENT—NICE COTTAGE SIX ROOMS SITuated on Market, between Fifth and Sixth sts. Apply to OLDENDORFF, HARVEY & CO., No. 10 Washington street, National bank building. 15d3*

FOR RENT—FOUR OR FIVE NICELY FURnished front rooms, en suite or single, with or without board in a private family; or the entire house will be rented to the right parties; 61 Seventh street, between [illegible] and A. 15d3

NEW TO-DAY.

W. C. T. U.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will give no lunch on Sunday, the 16th, but at the earnest request of some of the prominent business men of the city will resume the lunch on MONDAY, the 17th, from 12 to 2 P. M., to be continued indefinitely. 15d2

NOTICE!

Sunday noon, December 16, 1883, the town clock and our regulators and chronometers will be set ahead 10 minutes and 50 seconds.

HENRICHSEN & GREENBERG.

MARTHA WASHINGTON CIRCLE NO. 1,
DAUGHTERS OF LIBERTY,
Give a
SOCIAL AND DANCE
AT A. O. U. W. HALL,
Corner Taylor and First Sts. Saturday Eve., December 15.
Tickets admitting gentleman and ladies, refreshments included, 75 cents.

OPENING!
THE WASP SALOON
First St., bet. Taylor and Yamhill.
THIS EVENING AT 7 O'CLOCK.
FREE LUNCH, including TURKEY AND CHICKEN. J. STEVENSON, Proprietor.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS!
WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED A VERY FINE LINE OF
[illegible] SUITS!
For Men, Youths, Boys and Children,
All of which we offer
At Prices Which Defy Competition!
Our stock of
NECKWEAR AND FURNISHING
Cannot be excelled in the city.
BECK & WALDMAN,
THE PIONEER CLOTHIERS
[illegible] 117 FIRST STREET

RIVER VIEW ADDITION
TO ALBINA.
In Immediate Vicinity of the Railroad Works.
LOTS AND BLOCKS FOR SALE
On Reasonable Terms. Apply to
OLDENDORFF, HARVEY & CO.,
REAL ESTATE BROKERS,
No. 10 Washington St., National Bank Bld'g.
PORTLAND, OREGON. 5d6*

CONTINUATION
AUCTION SALE!
We will close out all the balance of stock of
Fine Parlor Suits, Sofas, Bed[illegible],
Lounges, Etc.
THIS DAY
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1883,
At 2 P. M. and 7 P. M.
GILMAN & CO. .... AUCTIONEERS

Administrator's Sale
OF
Horses, Buggies, Harness,
ETC., ETC.
The Stock of Wm. Akers' [illegible] Stables.
I will sell at the Union Stables, 32 Front st.,
Between Main and Salmon,
ON SATURDAY, DEC. 15th,
At 10 o'clock A. M.,
HORSES:
Five Fine Buggy Horses.
BUGGIES AND HARNESS:
Five Fine Buggies, One Road [illegible], One Sleigh,
Six sets Buggy Harness, single,
One set Buggy Harness, double.
ALSO
Buggy Robes, Whips etc.
W. D. [illegible]GAN,
MARY A[illegible]RS,
Executors of estate of Wm. Akers, deceased.
A. B. RICHARDSON, Auctioneer.

UNREDEEMED PLEDGES AT AUCtion prices. Walter O'Shea, the leading pawnbroker, has a lot of unredeemed pledges of all kinds for sale; gold and silver watches of Howard, Raymond, Elgin, Waltham and other first-class movements; Diamonds, Jewelry, Guns, Revolvers and other valuable articles, etc., that will be disposed of during the holidays at auction prices. He is also prepared to loan money on valuables of all kinds at low rates at his store in building 33 First street, New Market block. People doing business with him [illegible] THE [illegible] RELIABLE AND HONEST [illegible] REMAIN. He is [illegible] of that class of pawnbrokers who are here to-day and away to-morrow. 5d12

WANTED—SALESMEN FOR THE PACIFIC COAST and western territories to carry, either as a special or side line, [illegible] wrappers, paper bags and flour sacks, folding boxes, etc. Liberal commission to the right men. W. E. H. ROGERS & Co., 53 Leonard street, New York. 1t

"IF YOU HAVE A PRETTY FOOT, SHOW IT." A beautiful boot or shoe is always admired. To get this, go to [illegible] & SON'S, 149 First street. They keep the finest stock in Portland. 15d4tm

FOR SALE—CANDY STORE OUTFIT COMplete; everything good as new; also fine mirror, scales, shelving, jars, etc. Apply immediately to E. J. LADD, 133 First. 15d5

JUST NOW—A RUNNING WATER FLOURING mill, well located, good machinery, doing a good business, and 10 acres of land, with house and barn, will be sold cheap. G. F. BILLINGS, Real Estate Agent, Ashland, Oregon. 2awW4w

STOCK OF HARDWARE AND FARMING MAchinery for sale with good will; one of the best chances in the state; rare chance to a party with money. G. F. BILLINGS, Real Estate, Ashland, Or.

SOUTHERN OREGON FARMS, FRUIT LANDS, stock ranches, flour mills, saw mills, and improved and unimproved town property for sale by G. F. BILLINGS, Ashland, Or. 1d1m

COAL!
SCOTCH SPLINT AND WELLINGTON.
THOMPSON, DeHART & CO.
N. E. Cor. Yamhill and Front Sts.
ARE NOW IN RECEIPT OF LARGE QUANTITIES of the above favorite coal, which they will deliver at residences in the city.

U. S. MARSHAL'S NOTICE.—ADMIRALTY. Libel—Wreckage of the "Cairnsmore."—United States of America, District of Oregon, ss: Whereas a libel hath been filed in the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon, on the 10th day of November, 1883, by Mr. C. W. Fulton, proctor, in behalf of J. H. Thomas and others, libellants, in a cause of salvage, civil and maritime, against 70 fathoms of hawser rope, 120 fathoms of anchor chain, 1 pair of cathooks, 2 wire royal backstays, 4 wire topgallant backstays, 1 wire royal lift, 1 wire topgallant lift, 2 topgallant rigging, 2 wire topgallant braces, 2 wire topgallant pendants and [illegible] pendants, 4 wire main [illegible], 1 [illegible] ladder, 1 [illegible] stay, 1 [illegible] stay, 1 main royal stay, [illegible] tanks, 26 blocks, 1 iron handle, [illegible] old brass, 5 pump bars, 6 bundles of sails, 5 old sails, 2 large hawsers, 2 main [illegible], 1 medicine chest, 2 tackles, 26 barrels of cement, 2 barrels sugar, 40 blocks, 1 steering wheel and screw, 1 [illegible] pump, 1 chain strap, 6 barrels of beef, 1 barrels of pork, 3 capstan bars, 41 mats, 1 chest of old brass, 75 fathoms of anchor chain, 10 fathoms of mooring chain, 13 small chains for rigging, 1 chronometer, 1 pair of marine glasses, 4 [illegible], 3 chests of tea, 3 boxes of [illegible] of tobacco, [illegible] packages of twist, 6 pieces of canvas, 1 compass, 140 pieces of manilla rope for old rigging, 2 compass stands, 2 ship's [illegible], 1 rigging screw, 2 patent logs, 8 copper pumps, 1 keg of paint, 6 [illegible] of oil, 5 kegs of barley, [illegible] 2 pots of paint, 20 bags [illegible], 2 anchors, large mirror, being a portion of the furniture, rigging and apparel and cargo of the bark "Cairnsmore," and praying the usual process and monition of the court, that all persons interested in the said furniture, rigging, apparel and cargo may be cited to answer the premises, and all due proceedings being had, that the same may be condemned to be sold and the proceeds thereof be distributed according to law; therefore, in pursuance of the said monition, under the seal of said court, to me directed and delivered, I do hereby give public notice generally unto all persons having or pretending to have any right, title or interest therein, to appear before the said district court at the city of Portland, on the 7th day of January, 1884, if it be a court day, or else on the next court day thereafter, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to answer said libel, and to make their allegations in that behalf. Dated at Portland, in said District, the 12th day of December, 1883.
EDWARD S. KEARNEY,
U. S. Marshal for the District of Oregon.
C. W. FULTON, Proctor for Libellants. 13d5

AMUSEMENTS.

NEW MARKET THEATER.
F. W. STECHHAN, Manager.
One Week Only, commencing Monday, Dec. 17.
Special Saturday Matinee.
The Eminent Comedian,
JOHN S. LANGRISHE,
THE MAN IN A MAZE,
Supported by an Excellent Eastern Dramatic Co.
Monday and Tuesday
"SELF AND THE SKEPTICS,"
Wednesday and Thursday,
THE SIMPSONS, and the GENTLEMAN FROM IRELAND
Friday and Saturday
THRODDEN DOWN, or The Outlaw of '89.
[illegible] Change for Saturday Afternoon.
Popular Prices. Reserved seats now on sale at [illegible] drug store without extra charge.

WANTS.

$500—PARTNER WANTED IN MANUFACturing business; the only one of the kind on the Pacific Coast; will pay $50 month to each partner. WELCH & CO., Stark street. 15d1t

WANTED—A COUNTER SUITABLE FOR A broker's office. Address "Broker," this office. 1t

WANTED—A FIRE AND BURGLAR-PROOF safe, with steel money chest. Address "Banker," this office. 1t

WANTED—EMPLOYMENT.

WANTED—SITUATION AS PRACTICAL ENgineer. Address "C. H.," this office. 15d5

WANTED—EMPLOYMENT IN RETAIL OR wholesale store in any capacity; good learning; salary no object; is steady and temperate; references. Address "L. J.," this office. 14d2

A COMPETENT DRESSMAKER WISHES TO work by the day. Cutting and fitting a specialty. 255 First st., bet. Salmon and Main. Room 2. 15d6

GIRLS WISHING EMPLOYMENT, PLEASE call at Mrs. L. S. FARRIS' Commission House and Employment Agency, Flanders' block, 3d and [illegible].

PARTIES WISHING LADY CLERKS, SEAMstresses, chambermaids, or second work girls, can find same by calling at above agency. [illegible]

HELP WANTED.

TO CHINESE CONTRACTORS—WANTED, BIDS [illegible] to grub 35 acres of land. All bids to be in before the 20th of this month. Apply to me on the farm, one and a half miles north of Dayton, Oregon. 15d3 W. R. MOODY.

AGENTS WANTED.

AGENTS ATTENTION [illegible] JUST out, "Great Souls," [illegible] published; the most valuable, popular and handsome [illegible], practical, complete and [illegible] in the market. "Sold only by subscription." For particulars address A. ROMAN, 120 Sutter street, San Francisco. Also other new popular and good-paying subscription books. 3d1m

WE WANT AN AGENT IN EVERY TOWN and county to sell our Electric Insoles. [illegible] sent by mail. [illegible] of shoes. Write or come and see us. ELECTRIC BELT CO., 32 Third st., Portland, Or. P. O. box 371. 1d1f

AGENTS WANTED—TO TRAVEL OR FOR CITY, wages from $3 to $20 per day; no experience required. Call at [illegible] from 11 A. M. to 1 P. M., room 14 and 15.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—ACTIVE, WIDE awake canvassers, male and female, in all counties for our rapid selling books. Call upon or address at once A. L. BANCROFT & CO., San Francisco, Cal. 2dtf

PLATO'S [illegible] BLOCK,
Corner First and Washington.—P. O. Box 860.

$500—30 ACRES AGRICULTURAL LAND near Portland. PLATO'S AGENCY.

$1000—HALF INTEREST IN 20 YEARS established business; income $750 per month. PLATO'S AGENCY.

[illegible] HEADQUARTERS
AT
WM. BECK & SONS,
165 and 167 Second St.
Between Morrison and Yamhill

Drums, Music Boxes,
Steam Engines, Velocipedes
Bicycles, Tin Stoves and Kitchen,
Walking Men and Smoking Men,
Steamboats, Creeping Dolls,
Tin Toys, Tool Chests, Toy Guns,
Ice Skates, Roller Skates,
Flasks, Cradles & Tree Ornaments.

BRONZE
[illegible]
ABSOLUTELY
THE
FINEST DISPLAY
OF THE
"[illegible] BRONZE"
Made on the Pacific Coast.
ONLY SIXTY PIECES.
NO DUPLICATES.
J. K. GILL & CO.,
93 First Street.

MARKETS.

PACIFIC MARKET.
M. M. SPAULDING. [illegible] APWORTH.
SPAULDING & APWORTH,
BUTCHERS AND PACKERS, DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF MEATS.
Corner Third and Ash streets. 21

A. F. JOHNSON,
Central Market.
Wholesale Butcher and Packer,
Special attention paid to shipping trade.
Highest cash price paid for all kinds of stock.

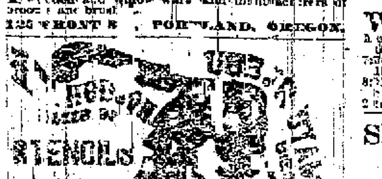
GOFF'S BRAND IS THE BEST MADE

Largest and most complete works of the kind in the world.
Production sufficient to load 30,000 dresses per day.
GOFF'S BRAID is sold in every city, and known in every village in the country.
Commands the highest price on account of its MERITS.
☞ Don't be deceived by inferior imitations.
For Sale by all Jobbers of dry goods and notions.

LOTS IN
COEUR D'ALENE CITY.
TELEGRAM.
[illegible], I. T., Dec. 12, '83.
TO ATKINSON & WAKEFIELD,
Portland, Or.:
Do not push sales. Raise the prices. Buildings going up fast. Will be down in a day after to-morrow.
14d [illegible] T. A. CUBBS.

CATARRH!
Those suffering from this disease and wishing to be
CURED
Can obtain immediate relief and a permanent cure by the use of my remedy.
Hours from 9 to 12 and from 1 to 7.
27d1m SECORD, Clarendon Hotel.

L. FELDMAN & CO.
IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN [illegible] wood and willow ware, and manufacturers of brooms and brushes.
125 FRONT ST., PORTLAND, OREGON.



SEAL ENGRAVER, 11 FIRST ST.

G. [illegible] SIMON
The Only French Candy Factory in the City.
M[illegible] manufacturer of the finest and purest Candies, Bon Bons, Caramels, Bonbons, Fondants, Sugar Plums, Chocolate, Chocolate Creams, Crystallized Fruits, etc. Fifteen years' experience in [illegible] manufacturers of [illegible] make the choicest confection [illegible]. Call and see [illegible] 90 Washington st., near Fifth. [illegible]

TO LET—ROOMS.

NO. SUITS AND SINGLE—FINE ACCOMMODATIONS for families, bath, fire and gas. N. E. cor. Fourth and Montgomery streets. [illegible]

FOR RENT—NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS. Inquire 173, cor. Washington and [illegible].

THREE UNFURNISHED ROOMS; GAS, WATER, bath and closets in every room; private entrance; new house; will rent only with [illegible]; West Park, one block north of Mill street. [illegible]

FOR RENT—NEWLY FURNISHED ROOM, with bay window and use of [illegible], First street, corner Lincoln. [illegible]

FOR RENT—FURNISHED SUIT OF ROOMS at 220 Fifth, near Main. 1dtf

TO LET—ONE LARGE FRONT BED-ROOM, furnished with gas, use of bath and very convenient. Apply 190 N. [illegible]. Reference required.

FOR RENT—HANDSOME FURNISHED OR unfurnished rooms, with gas, in private family; good location, convenient to street cars. References required. Inquire [illegible]

TO LET—TWO FINELY FURNISHED FRONT rooms with use of parlor; hot and cold water; bath free. Apply at No. 79 South Seventh street. [illegible]

BALDWIN LODGING HOUSE—ROOMS FOR rent by the day, week or month; at 275 [illegible], between Madison and Main. 1d1m

A FINE LARGE ALCOVE ROOM, WITH BAY window, light and fire, and one delightful front room; 81 Seventh, cor. Oak. [illegible]

TO LET—UNFURNISHED, BY THE 1ST OF JAN., a suit of four rooms and kitchen, with gas, water and every convenience suitable for gentleman and wife or housekeeping. Apply at [illegible]. References must be given.

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED FRONT ROOM, with use of bath and other conveniences; private residence. Apply at 230 Yamhill st.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET—IN THE elegant new brick, corner First and [illegible]; the highest respectability. Apply [illegible] First.

TO LET—ONE FURNISHED ROOM WITH board in German family. 138 Taylor street. [illegible]

FURNISHED ROOMS FOR [illegible] [illegible]; new house; [illegible]

TO RENT—SECOND FLOOR OF [illegible] building, [illegible] room and [illegible]. Inquire of E. MARX & [illegible]

TO PHYSICIANS—OFFICES TO LET IN THE elegant new building cor. First and Main. Apply to T. D. KANE, 10 Pine street. 2ma

TO RENT—FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED rooms. Apply to S. W. [illegible], 113 Third st.

THE PORTLAND LODGINGS, NEW [illegible] building, North Portland, cor. 3d and G, [illegible]; Furnished rooms by the week or month. Night lodgings; prices accordingly. [illegible]

ROOMS AND BOARD.

NICELY FURNISHED DOUBLE ROOM, FOR a gentleman and wife or two gentlemen, with board; at 170 Taylor. [illegible]

TO LET—HOUSES AND STORES.

FOR RENT—AN EIGHT-ROOM HOUSE IN [illegible], finished throughout. For terms apply at 101 N. FIFTEENTH, N. W. cor. First and Oak. 11t

FOR RENT—COTTAGE HOUSE FIVE ROOMS near E [illegible] street cars. Rent reasonable. Furniture for sale cheap. Inquire of FRAME [illegible], First street.

FOR RENT—NEW HOUSES, HARDWOOD FINISH, [illegible] per month, [illegible] located in East Portland. For particulars apply to LOWD & TROUP, agents, [illegible] street, near Church, or of the owner, [illegible] KAYS, 23 Pine st., Portland. 13d

FOR RENT—A HOUSE WITH ALL MODERN improvements; cor. Main and Tenth streets. Apply at 205 Main street.

FOR RENT—LODGING HOUSE OF 25 ROOMS, for rent and furniture for sale; in business part of city; cause of selling, ill health. Inquire of W. [illegible] Savings Bank. 8d

FOR RENT—TWO STORES JUST COMPLETED; [illegible] feet each, with hydraulic elevator; everything first-class and equally good for wholesale business houses; to rent for a term of years if desired. For particulars inquire of FRED. BICKEL, 47 [illegible] Street. 3d

FOR RENT.

TO RENT—RESIDENCE [illegible], CHEAP; [illegible] Sherman street. [illegible]

CITY FARM FOR RENT—23 ACRES IN THE city of Salem; 12 acres of which is in fine cultivation; house, barn, orchard, etc., [illegible]. T. A. [illegible], 147 Third st.

FARM TO RENT OR SELL—[illegible] ACRES, [illegible] miles from Lebanon, in Willamette valley, [illegible] price $11 per acre. Apply to WILLIAM REID, 83 First street.

LOST.

LOST—POCKET-BOOK CONTAINING [illegible] of value except pass book [illegible] Portland Savings Bank. The finder will please leave it at [illegible] book bindery. [illegible]

MILLINERY AND FANCY DRY GOODS.

MRS. A. M. HILDEBRAND. MISS LIZZIE ANDERSON.
HILDEBRAND & ANDERSON,
IMPORTERS OF
FINE MILLINERY,
77 Third [illegible], Oak and Pine, Portland.
Orders from the country solicited.

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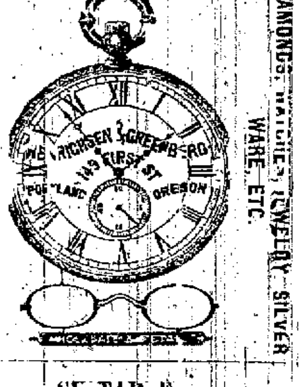

AT NEW YORK AND CHICAGO WHOLESALE RATES.

DIAMONDS, WATCHES, JEWELRY, SILVER WARE, ETC.

SUITABLE
Holiday Presents.
My stock is complete in Every Department, and I offer now a most elegant assortment of
Papeteries, Plain and Fancy.
Photograph and Autograph Albums in the Latest Designs.
Christmas Cards, the most unique patterns.
Russian Leather Pocket Books.
Russian Leather Etuis.
Russian Leather Portmonnaies.
Russian Leather Card Cases.
Russian Leather Cigar and Cigarette Cases.
My own Importation of a Choice Assortment of
Perfumery and Toilet Articles,
As well as my Elegant line of
GERMAN PICTURE
AND
GIFT BOOKS,
Direct from publishers in Leipzig,
OFFERED AT IMPORTER'S PRICES.
N. [illegible],
THE STATIONER,
93 First st., opp. [illegible] Block.
13d

DELINQUENT ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

EAST PORTLAND GAS LIGHT CO.—LOCATION of place of business and office, East Portland, Multnomah county, Or. There are delinquent upon the following described stock on the East Portland Gas Light Company, on account of assessment levied upon the [illegible] day of July, 1883, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders as follows:

	No. Certificate.	No. Shares.	Amount.
Levi Knott	10	30	[illegible]
Levi Knott	11	20	204 [illegible]
C. B. Hare, elder, Trustee	2	60	60 [illegible]
J. Elliott, [illegible]	4	60	50 [illegible]
J. Elliott, [illegible]	5	60	30 [illegible]
J. Elliott, [illegible]	Unissued	50	33 [illegible]

There is also delinquent upon the said Gas Light company, on account of an assessment levied on [illegible], the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders as follows:

	No. Certificate.	No. Shares.	Amount.
Levi Knott	10	30	60 [illegible]
Levi Knott	12	20	40 [illegible]
C. B. Hare, elder, Trustee	2	60	120 [illegible]
J. Elliott, [illegible]	4	60	120 [illegible]
J. Elliott, [illegible]	5	60	100 [illegible]
J. Elliott, [illegible]	Unissued	50	60 [illegible]

And in accordance with law and an order of the board of directors of the said East Portland Gas Light Company made on the 13th day of December, 1883, so many shares of each parcel of said stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the company, East Portland, Or., on Monday, the 14th day of January, 1884, at [illegible] P. M., to pay delinquent assessments thereon and costs of advertising and expenses of sale.
[illegible] STOLEY, President.
C. D. BELLINGER, Secretary. 1m

DANCING SCHOOL.
A. R. PRINGLE
WILL OPEN DANCING SCHOOL AT ACADEMY Hall, cor. Second and Salmon, [illegible] Monday, Dec. 10, [illegible] classes—Monday and Thursday [illegible]. Assemblies Tuesday and Saturday from 8:30 to 12. Saturday afternoon, Ladies and Children's class, 2 to 4. For private lessons apply at hall.

SEED. 50 Tons TIMOTHY. SEED.
We are prepared to fill all orders.
Liberal discount to the Trade.
EVERDING & FARRELL,
Front and Alder streets, Portland.

FOR SALE.
THE COMPLETE STOCK OF [illegible], consisting of Clothing, Furnishing Goods, Hats, Caps, etc., will be sold at once at [illegible]. Come early at [illegible]. [illegible]

[illegible] BROTHERS,
Manufacturers of
[illegible] WILLOW WARE [illegible]
Nos. 22 and 24 [illegible] street, Portland.

FOR SALE.

VINEGAR, VINEGAR.—500 GALLONS EXCELlent cider vinegar for sale in barrels, to the trade only. NORTHROP & STURGIS, 140 Front st., Portland, Or. 2htf

SODA WATER MACHINERY.—TWO GOOD SECondhand bottler's outfits for sale. Reason for selling, about to get larger machines. NORTHROP & STURGIS, 140 Front street, Portland, Or. 23d1

FOR SALE—WAREHOUSE SITUATED CORNER Second and G. Apply to M. SELLER & CO. 14d1f

FOR SALE—FINE ENGLISH BREECH-LOADing shotgun, 50 brass shells, reloading and cleaning outfit; $45; good as new. P. O. Box 348 Portland, Or.

FOR SALE—THE FURNITURE AND LEASE of a house containing 9 rooms, all handsomely furnished. The furniture is new and the lease runs for 5 years. Everything is complete to go housekeeping. There are 14 cords of wood in the cellar. All will be sold at a bargain. Enquire of WOODS, the Hatter, 143 First street.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—SOUTH HALF BLOCK 20, TIBBETTS'S addition to East Portland; also lot 3, block 5, Ainsworth tract, southwest corner of piece. NORTHROP & STURGIS, 140 Front st., Portland, Or. 23d1

FOR SALE—40 ACRES ON BASE LINE ROAD, between city and Sandy, in Nicholas donation. Apply to ARTHUR A. BURNS, Seattle. 15d12

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.—ON THURSDAY, Dec. 20, 1883, at 1 P. M., on the premises, I will sell to the highest bidders for cash 654 acres of land, known as the P. Gearhart farm, on Clatsop plains; also 30 cows, 27 head young cattle, 1 horse, 1 wagon and other farming implements. Title guaranteed. Astoria, Dec. 10, 1883. (11d16w1) J. W. GEARHART.

FOR SALE AT A SACRIFICE—3 LOTS IN THIS city and East Portland. Inquire "Lots," this office.

FOR SALE FOR $850—LOT 7, BLOCK 131, CAruthers' Addition. Inquire of A. H. TANNER, No. 130 First street. 7d1m

BUSINESS SPECIALS.

PROEBSTEL—BARGAINS THIS WEEK AT BURROWS & OLIVER'S, 4 Washington st. 10d

MADAME BOZARTH, FORTUNE TELLER, from the East, Arlington house. 7d1m

A YOUNG LADY WISHES TO GIVE PRIVATE lessons on the piano evenings. Special attention to beginners; 50 cents a lesson. 85 Morrison street.

JUST RECEIVED—A CHOICE LOT OF SINclair's uncovered hams and shoulders. McCRAKEN & MASON. 26d1m

BEST FORTUNE TELLER, 305 B ST., BET. 14TH and 15th. Ladies, 50c; gents, $1. 22d1m

C. H. WILCOX, S. W. COR. FIRST AND OAK. Bookseller and Stationer. Leading newspapers and periodicals in stock. Subscriptions a specialty. 19d

A. C. PANTON, M. D., etc.
GRADUATE UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO,
Canada, Late of City Hospital,
Hamilton, Ont.
421 First street south, corner of Hall. 15d1m

J. FRED. CLARKE & CO.,
REAL ESTATE AGENTS,
Stock and Money Brokers,
28 Washington Street. 1d1m

MRS. WHARTON, HAIR DOCTRESS, CURES all diseases of the hair and catarrh; large experience in Europe and San Francisco; handsome stock of hair goods; Langtry curls and waves made to order, and cut in the Langtry style; wigs loaned and sold. 164 Morrison st.

LESSONS GIVEN IN KENSINGTON EMbroidery, Applique and Ribbon work; 353 First st.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

DR. O. DUNNING BEGS TO INFORM THE public that he has resumed practice at 65 First st., where he will treat all chronic diseases. Piles and Cancer treated successfully without the use of the knife. Catarrh treated by inhalation. Particular attention given to treatment of the Eye and Ear. Patients in the country can be successfully treated by correctly stating symptoms. Letters strictly confidential. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 9 P. M. Room 17, 65 First street. 23d1m

H. FISK, ASSAYER, NO. 7 STARK STREET, room 6 upstairs, Portland, Or. 12d1f daw

DR. PATTON HAS OPENED DENTAL PARlors in the new three-story brick corner First and Main. All work first-class and warranted. Gas and other anesthetics administered. 7d1m

W. L. MILLER, M. D., SUCCESSOR TO DR. H. McKenzie, surgeon and homœopathic physician. Office and residence 84 Main st., cor. of Fourth. Office hours 10 to 11 A. M., 1 to 3 and 5 to 7 P. M. 25dtf

SPECIAL DENTAL NOTICE—IN COMPLIANCE with the many requests made me to assist a class of respectable patients desiring good dental work, but who are unable to pay the usual fees, I will devote Mondays of each week (during the winter) to such persons at a liberal discount from my regular charges, provided that those for whom the accommodation is intended will come with a written recommendation from any respectable physician or from a reliable citizen personally known to the undersigned. GEO. H. CHANCE, D. D. S., Odd Fellows' building, First and Alder streets.

D. P. KENNEDY,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW,
Room 4, Dekum's Building.
Infringement suits conducted, and other legal business pertaining to letters patent for inventors. 3dtf

SPECIAL NOTICES.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE—THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between Crozier & Murphy in the ship smith and general blacksmithing business, corner Sixteenth and S streets, is dissolved by mutual consent. N. F. Murphy having purchased the entire interest of J. L. Crozier, N. F. Murphy will collect all the moneys due the late firm from the 8th of Sept. to the 8th of Dec. and will pay all dues. N. F. MURPHY, J. L. CROZIER. Portland, Dec. 13, 1883. 14d3

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—ALL PERSONS knowing themselves indebted to the late George L. Roberts of Cathlamet, W. T., will save costs by making prompt payment to the undersigned. These claims must be paid forthwith. GEORGE T. ALLAN, Administrator, Cathlamet, W. T. December 1, 1883. 12d1m-w2m

THE NATIONAL LIBERAL LEAGUE OF PORTland, Oregon, holds regular meetings every Sunday at Nonpareil Hall at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and at 7 o'clock in the evening. Admission free. 12dtf

DURING MY ABSENCE FROM THE STATE, E. Killin, attorney-at-law, Room 1, Dekum's block, is my agent. H. SAXER. Portland, Or., November 15, 1883. 17d1m20

HARDWARE, IRON AND STEEL.

THOMPSON, DeHART & CO., HARDWARE, Iron and Steel, Carriage and Wagon Material, Blacksmiths' and Blacksmiths' Coal, corner First and [illegible] streets, Portland, Oregon. m3

CHAS. H. DODD & CO., IMPORTERS AND JOBbers, Front, First and Vine streets, Portland. m29

CORBETT, FAILING & CO., IMPORTERS AND Jobbers, 81 and 83 Front street, Portland, Oregon. m29d1f

FOSTER & ROBERTSON, IMPORTERS AND Jobbers, 88 and 90 Front street, Portland. m30

WHOLESALE DRY GOODS.

[illegible]ELLIS BROS. & CO., FANCY DRY GOODS and millinery. No. 72 Front St.

SCALES.

FOSTER & ROBERTSON, AGENTS FOR BUHLE Bros.' U. S. Standard Scales; every scale warranted by us; 88 and 90 Front street. m30

COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

R. C. JANION & CO., Liverpool, Eng. R. C. JANION, Victoria, V. I.
R. C. JANION & SON,
Portland, Or.,
Importers & Commission Merchants
Receive constant shipments of
Coal, Tin Plates, Pig Iron, Salt, Fire Bricks, Bags, Chemicals, Earthenware, Wines and Liquors, etc., etc.

MEYER, WILSON & CO., San Francisco, Cal. WILSON, MEYER & CO., Liverpool, Eng.
MEYER, WILSON & CO.,
(Successors to Rodgers, Meyer & Co.) Portland, Or.,
Shipping and Commission Merchants.
Liberal advances made on shipments of Wheat and Flour. Orders executed by our direct line of sailing ships from Liverpool to Portland, for J. B. White & Bro's Cement, Pig Iron, Coal, Coke, English Salt, Fire Bricks, Bags and Bagging, Tin and Terne Plates, etc.

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Hodge, Davis & Co.
Importing
Wholesale Druggists
Agents for Leading Proprietary Medicines, Fluid Extracts, Pills, Etc., Etc.
Nos 92 and 94 Front Street
Cor. Stark
Portland, Oregon.

WHAT IS IT?
CANDLE FISH, or OOLACHAN is a species of fish similar to smelt. It has a rich, delicious flavor, and all who try it pronounce it superior to the sardine. It is smoked and sugar-cured and packed in hermetically sealed cans. Although a novelty, it has met with large sales. All who have not tasted Candle Fish should do so at once.
FOR SALE BY ALL GROCERS.

HOMES HOMES HOMES!
For Sale, Lots, Blocks and small tracts, by the Southern Portland Association in their addition on the Macadam road. Terms easy, payable in installments to suit purchasers. IRA B. STURGES, Secretary Southern Portland Association, Room 8 No. 105½ [illegible] street.

SMITH BROS. & WATSON'S
IRON WORKS.
MANUFACTURERS OF CASTINGS AND MAchinery of all kinds; keep in stock ordinary ENGINES, BOILERS and SAW MILLS.
Office and Works, Front and Harrison streets Portland, Oregon.

[illegible] LUCIA MILLS,
VANCOUVER, W. T.
Lumber, Lath and Shingles.
WE ARE NOW PREPARED TO DELIVER all goods in our line very promptly and at reasonable rates. Parties who contemplate building would do well to consult us before placing their orders.
[illegible] Manager.

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A. L. [illegible]
AUCTIONEERS & COM[illegible]
No. 48 Front [illegible]
AUCTION SALES OF [illegible]ture, General Merchandise, etc. REGULAR [illegible] Fridays at 10 o'clock A. [illegible]

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Auctioneer & Com[illegible]
Monday and Thursday [illegible]
Wednesday, Real [illegible]
Saturday, Tattersall [illegible]

AUCTIONEER A[illegible]
S. FRIEDMAN, AUCTIONEER [illegible] for city or country [illegible] Merchandise, Household [illegible] Advances made. Address [illegible]

SPECIAL AUCTION [illegible]
OF
[illegible]
I will sell on the premises [illegible]
Washington sts., by order [illegible]
of the First Presbyterian [illegible]
ON MONDAY, DEC. [illegible]
At 2 o'clock [illegible]
Lots Numbered Three (3) [illegible]
in Block [illegible]
These VALUABLE BUSINESS Lots [illegible] in one of the best business [illegible] Portland. Title perfect. Terms—one-fourth cash, one-fourth in six months, [illegible] interest at rate of six (6) per cent [illegible] however, the purchaser of the [illegible] the church to remain on the [illegible] charged on deferred payments [illegible] occupies the property.
10d A. B. RICHARDSON [illegible]

ARCHITECTS AND EN[illegible]
R. W. & T. H. [illegible]
CIVIL ENGINEERS AND DRA[illegible]
Special Attention given to [illegible]
Office—Room 2, Ainsworth Block [illegible]

COMMISSION MER[illegible]

MILLER & WEST (J. C. MILLER [illegible] commission merchants [illegible] duce; 111 Front st., between [illegible]

S. GOLDMAN & CO., COMM[illegible] merchants, 123 Front street [illegible]

TAYLOR, YOUNG & CO., [illegible] Commission merchants [illegible] river Candle Fish; 15 North Front [illegible]

ABRAHAM, HIRSTEL & CO. [illegible] merchants, 2 and 4 N. Front st. [illegible]

G. COHN & BRO., 170 FRONT [illegible] and country produce [illegible]

ALLEN & LEWIS, COMMISSION [illegible] duce Merchants, cor. N. Front an[illegible] and Oregon.

[illegible] CASER & CO., COMMISSION [illegible] and dealers in wheat and wool [illegible] Front street, Portland, Or.

GIBSON, CHURCH & CO., [illegible] Commission Merchants, [illegible] salmon, grain bags, etc., N. W. cor [illegible] Portland, Or.

WHOLESALE [illegible]

ABRAHAM, HIRSTEL & CO., [illegible] grocers, 2 and 4, N. Front street [illegible]

ALLEN & LEWIS, WHOLESALE [illegible] corner N. Front and D sts. [illegible]

CORBITT & MACLEAY, WHOLESALE [illegible] cers and Commission Merch[illegible] street, Portland.

McCRAKEN & MASON, WHOLESALE [illegible] cers and Commission [illegible] Front street, Portland.

WADHAMS & ELLIOTT, WHOLESALE [illegible] cers, Forwarding and Commission [illegible] Nos. 46 and 48 Front street, Portland.

GUNPOWDER.

CHAS. H. DODD & CO., AGENTS [illegible] Works, Front, First and Vine [illegible]

CORBETT, FAILING & CO., AGENTS [illegible] Pont's Gunpowder, 81 and 83 Front [illegible] and, Oregon.

MILL AND FARM MACH[illegible]

KNAPP, BURRELL & CO., WHOLESALE [illegible] machinery and dealers in agricultural [illegible] ments, farm and spring wagons, [illegible] etc., portable and stationary engines [illegible] grist mill machinery a specialty, [illegible] belting.

GEO. W. WATERHOUSE, JR., PRA[illegible] wright and Mill Builder [illegible] Roller Mills a specialty [illegible] of Flouring Mills Machinery [illegible]

H. P. GREGORY & CO., NO. [illegible] bet. A. and B. importers and dealers of machinery; saw mills a specialty [illegible]

CHAS. H. DODD & CO., SOLE [illegible] Wood Mower and Reaper, [illegible] Hollingsworth Header, Schuttler Wagons [illegible]

HONEYMAN & CO., MA[illegible] Rollers, Grist and Sawmills [illegible] Castings, etc. Front st., bet. [illegible]

[illegible] WAGNER & CO., FLOURING [illegible] clusively. All kinds of [illegible] No. 24 S. Front St. See circular [illegible]

HARNESS AND SADD[illegible]

P. J. CRONIN, IMPORTER AND [illegible] turer of harness and saddles [illegible]

CIGARS AND TOBA[illegible]

WEINZINSKI BROS. & CO., [illegible] dealers in fine cigars, [illegible] Front [illegible] branch of Sideman, Lachman & Co. [illegible]

MANTELS AND G[illegible]

FOSTER & ROBERTSON, [illegible] and slate mantels; agents for [illegible] Co.'s gas fixtures; 88 and 90 Front st. [illegible]

LEATHER AND SH[illegible]

BRADLEY & DOHENY, [illegible] between Washington and [illegible] and Findings, Shoe Store Supplies [illegible]

WHOLESALE BOOTS AND [illegible]

GEORGE L. HIBBARD & CO., [illegible] boots and shoes. No. [illegible] Front st. [illegible]

PAINTS, OILS AND [illegible]

F. E. BEACH & CO., WHOLESALE [illegible] tail dealers in paints, oils and [illegible] street, Portland.

THE BEST IN THE [illegible]
"SALEM BAKERS' E[illegible]
AND
FAMILY F[illegible]
Manufactured expressly for [illegible] Export trade [illegible]
SALEM FLOURING MILLS CO. [illegible]
Portland Agency:
GIBSON, CHURCH & CO. [illegible]
N. E. cor. [illegible]

NORTH PACIFIC FL[illegible]
COMPANY,
Walla Walla, [illegible]
Capacity of Mills, seven [illegible]
Manufacture Flour upon the [illegible] tion System, by [illegible]
Make Light, Nutritious [illegible] and more of it than any other [illegible]
TRY IT! [illegible]
For sale by WADHAMS & ELLIOTT [illegible]

THE BEST! THE BEST! [illegible]
ASK YOUR GROCER [illegible]
CAPITOL MILLS F[illegible]
AND TAKE NO OTHER [illegible]
The only Flour which has [illegible] Medal at Mechanics' Fair [illegible] exhibited; also First Prize at [illegible] All respectable grocers and [illegible] 53 First st., [illegible] In Oregon and Washington [illegible]

JOHN A. CHILD. [illegible]
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DRUGGIST,
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Fine Chemicals, [illegible]
TOILET ARTICLES, [illegible]
Soaps and Druggists' [illegible]
161 Second Street, [illegible]
Portland [illegible]

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Importer and [illegible]
Cumberland, Lehigh, [illegible]
COAL, CH[illegible]
And FOUNDRY [illegible]
Office—Fourth and E. [illegible]
Yard—E. [illegible]
Telephone No. 251.

Writing [illegible]
Afternoon and [illegible]
PORTLAND BUSINESS [illegible]
Cor. Second [illegible]
PACIFIC [illegible]
201 Second St. [illegible]

Daily Oregon[illegible]
[illegible] MORNING, DE[illegible]
[illegible] Postoffice at Portlan[illegible] class matter.
SUBSCRIPTION RAT[illegible]
Daily Oregonian, per [illegible]
Sunday Oregonian, per [illegible]
Weekly Oregonian, per [illegible]
METEOROLOGICAL RE[illegible]
Portland, Dec. [illegible]

THE OREGONIAN IN T[illegible]
[illegible] can be seen at the follow[illegible] York City—B. C. Beckwith [illegible] Tribune [illegible] Lord & Thomas, McCorm[illegible] N. W. Ayer & [illegible] Public Library. [illegible] Library of Co[illegible] Pioneer-Press offices [illegible]

CITY.

SUCCESS.—The fair o[illegible] Temperance Union now [illegible] in the third story of the [illegible] Washington and Front [illegible] deserved success. The [illegible] business meeting yest[illegible] continue one of the [illegible] for an indef[illegible] as the public patronag[illegible] the excellent noon [illegible] past week been so, thor[illegible] men who lived in th[illegible] are spread neatly [illegible] well cooked, home made [illegible] of the ladies who [illegible] supplying every want [illegible] agreeable features of a [illegible] which they h[illegible] of continuance, [illegible] men can easily be [illegible] The immediate obje[illegible] the proceeds of the f[illegible] the furnishing of [illegible] what lacking in ap[illegible] of a readin[illegible] books, periodicals a[illegible] labor upon the part of [illegible] of the fair has handso[illegible] with banners, picture[illegible] evergreens, and generou[illegible] money, by several who [illegible] formed quite a nucleu[illegible] the hall. In the cente[illegible] with useful and orna[illegible] This booth is in [illegible] Mrs. Captain Willia[illegible] the allegorical "Rebecc[illegible] lady in question being [illegible] to thirsty wayfarers th[illegible] is the ice-cream [illegible] Williams, assisted by [illegible] large number of ladies wh[illegible] the success of the fair u[illegible] of the union; Mrs [illegible] Mrs. E. P. Hodnett, [illegible] E. O. Smith, Porter, R. T. [illegible] Acton, Holman, [illegible] P. Lewis, Geo. Houghto[illegible] McQuinn and Mrs. C[illegible] matron of the kitche[illegible]

[illegible] SHOT IN A PULLMAN [illegible] yesterday in United State[illegible] Hainrich against the [illegible] recover damages in the s[illegible]

DEC. 15, 1883.

[illegible] at Portland, Or., as second-class matter.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES — IN ADVANCE.

[illegible]	1.00
[illegible]	1.20
[illegible] per year	10.00
[illegible]	12.00
[illegible] per year	2.50
[illegible] per year	4.00
[illegible] per year	2.51
[illegible] Sunday's mailed	250
[illegible] Sunday included	[illegible]

WEATHER REPORT.

Portland, Dec. 14 — 7:37 P.M.

		Wind Direction	Rain fall of inches	State of weather
[illegible]	42	E	.00	Clear
[illegible]	35	Calm	.00	Foggy
[illegible]	37	[illegible]	.00	Foggy
[illegible]	37	[illegible]	.00	Clear
[illegible]	40	[illegible]	.00	Clear
[illegible]	44	[illegible]	.00	Foggy

[illegible] minimum [illegible] 39 0.

[ORE]GONIAN IN THE EAST.

[illegible] at the following places: [illegible] C. Beckwith, Eastern repre[sentative] [illegible] Tribune building. [illegible] McCormick block. [illegible] W. Ayer & Son Eighth and [illegible]. [illegible] Library. [illegible] Library of Congress. [illegible] office, or the office of [illegible].

CITY.

The fair of the Women's [illegible] Union now being held in [illegible] of the new paper build[ing] [illegible] and Front streets, has so [illegible]. The members of the [illegible] meeting yesterday afternoon [illegible] one of the main features [illegible] for an indefinite period, or [illegible] patronage will warrant. [illegible] noon in these which [illegible] so thoroughly enjoyed [illegible] in the suburbs of the [illegible] neatly and prettily and [illegible] home-made articles of food. [illegible] ladies who have it over the [illegible] every want vendors to the [illegible] of a meal at home, [illegible] which they have already re[illegible] [illegible] and the support [illegible] easily be given to this [illegible] object in view and [illegible] of the fair will be ex[illegible] furnishing of their hall, [illegible] in appearance, and [illegible] of a reading room, well [illegible] periodicals and papers. A [illegible] the part of the ladies before [illegible] has handsomely decorated [illegible] pictures, festoons and [illegible] and generous contributions [illegible] several whole-souled mer[chants] [illegible] quite a nucleus for the future [illegible]. In the center of the room is [illegible] useful and ornamental articles [illegible] this booth is in charge of Mrs. [illegible] Captain Williams. At one end [illegible] "Rebecca at the Well," [illegible] being Miss Ella Bird, [illegible] the cooling lem[onade] [illegible] the ice-cream booth, presided [illegible] assisted by Mr. Hubbard. [illegible] of ladies who have worked [illegible] of the fair are Mrs. A. H. [illegible] of the saloon; Mrs. Captain Wil[liams] [illegible] Hodson, secretary, and [illegible] Parker, H. T. Rankin, Myers, [illegible] Holman, Benson, J. C. [illegible] Geo. Houghton, Wm. Palmer, [illegible] and Mrs. Catherine Done [illegible] of the kitchen.

[illegible] A PULLMAN CAR.—Suit was [illegible] in United States circuit court [illegible] Heinrich against the Pullman Car [illegible] damages in the sum of $25,425. [illegible] Mrs. Heinrich are well-to-do [illegible] and had concluded to spend [illegible] on account of Mr. Heinrich's [illegible] rheumatism. They started for [illegible] the Northern in a Pullman car. [illegible] Montana the porter of the [illegible] while carrying a navy [illegible] through the car, dropped it and [illegible] was discharged, the bullet [illegible] through the thigh of Mrs. Heir[ich] [illegible] groin and up in front of her. [illegible] of the car. The wound was [illegible] and Mrs. Heinrich were [illegible] Glendive, where they re[illegible] at an expense of $425. They [illegible] city, arriving here a day or two [illegible] Morland have been ou[illegible] suit against the Pullman Car [illegible] damages for the pain [illegible] Heinrich, and $425 additional [illegible] at Glendive. The case will be [illegible] the vexed question of the [illegible] of corporations for the acts of [illegible] no one is to blame for [illegible] except the porter, and the [illegible] that he was not hired [illegible] car.

[illegible]—Judge Stott having re[illegible], he state circuit court re[illegible] after its two weeks' va[cation] [illegible] about the only ones who [illegible] the lawyers began to come [illegible] list of motions and demur[rers] [illegible] business was quickly re[illegible] [illegible] by District [illegible] enough [illegible]. Sixteen different in[dictments] [illegible] and eight other cases had [illegible] which the charges could not be [illegible] indictments were as follows: E. A. [illegible] names to stock in Columbia [illegible]; J. S. Keller and E. [illegible] the same lay by having deer [illegible] season; Noy Kui, five indict[ments] [illegible] Chinese bawdy houses; J. [illegible] loaded shot-gun upon Sam [illegible] larceny of a watch from Chris [illegible] of a dictionary from the [illegible] house; Gus St. Claire, larceny; [illegible], J. Baxter, larceny.

[illegible]—Tony A. Tabbs arrived [illegible] Coeur d'Alene yesterday morning [illegible] in building and other im[provements] [illegible] of Coeur d'Alene City [illegible] projected, a large restaurant is [illegible] being constructed for the [illegible] which are rapidly being pushed [illegible] sawmill will be shipped [illegible] will be put into operation [illegible] of men are getting out [illegible] receive good prices, a large [illegible] built near the steamer landing, [illegible] cakes. So rapidly have [illegible] valuable have they become [illegible] mines have been proven [illegible] bought back a large number [illegible] town site at advanced fig[ures] [illegible] high as $200 profit to [illegible] well enough again to repeat, that [illegible] at this season is a most impossi[ble] [illegible] with the greatest hardships, [illegible] to attempt the journey until [illegible]

[illegible]—C. W. Rose, mentioned [illegible] as canvassing for the [illegible] at this office yesterday. He [illegible] best illustrated magazine [illegible] which he states has [illegible] two years and is not in any [illegible] a publication of a somewhat [illegible] many years ago. In regard [illegible] subscribers had not received [illegible] exhibited dispatches from [illegible] and other places stating [illegible] been received by them. Par[illegible] commenced with the Jan[uary] [illegible] will take some time to send [illegible] expect their books till some [illegible]. It is only just to say that from [illegible] he appears to be a bona fide [illegible] publication. THE OREGONIAN [illegible] an injustice, but has no in[illegible] magazine except what is [illegible]

[illegible]—The long talked of shooting [illegible] of the Rod and Gun Club [illegible] of the Columbia is about defi[illegible]. [illegible] is for $200 a side. Half [illegible] up, and it only remains for [illegible] when the balance will be [illegible] take place. Peter Wil[illegible] and well-known friends of [illegible] any amount on his skill. [illegible] Maynard's friends it is [illegible] to furnishing the [illegible] is the only thing which [illegible] from taking place.

[illegible]—The father of policeman John J. [illegible] city yesterday direct from Ire[land] [illegible] with him four genuine black [illegible] as delight the hearts and [illegible] natives of the Emerald Isle [illegible] of these shillelahs has been pre[sented] [illegible] Watkinds and another to [illegible] them they are highly prized. [illegible] possessed of peculiar quali[ties] [illegible] for the head, but the [illegible] have the thorns shaved off close [illegible] of the article.

[illegible]—A pioneer states that the [illegible] resembles '49. The summer of [illegible] very dry and smoky. There [illegible] the fall and the weather then [illegible] was like the present— [illegible] dry and dusty, streams [illegible] just thought that Oregon was a [illegible] has had occasion since to [illegible] still thinks that in the main [illegible]

[illegible]—Considerable improvement has [illegible] the last few days, in the condi[tion] [illegible] above the Albina ferry [illegible] and ballast from the ships [illegible] have been hauled to the [illegible] lower side is being walled [illegible] filled it. With sand, the [illegible] but even Oregon [illegible] will not soon change this [illegible]

[illegible] W. R. Lee of Taphum [illegible] Lee, pastor of the Cal[vary] [illegible] church of this city, is expected to [illegible] Pacific to-night, and is an[nounced] [illegible] to-morrow morning in Calvary [illegible] this court upon invitation of [illegible] of Olympia, and will go to [illegible] his son in this city.

[illegible]—Thursday afternoon [illegible] aged 10 or 12 years, were [illegible] revolver, the weapon was dis[charged] [illegible] named O'Brien, cruelly [illegible] the head laying the skull [illegible] severe, was not consi[illegible] was conveyed for treatment [illegible] where he died at 3 o'clock [illegible]

[illegible] LETTERS.—Letters re[illegible] Wells, Fargo & Co.'s for the [illegible] Co., John F. [illegible] Pierce, Michael Walsh

SOUVENIR OF PORTLAND.—The neatest souvenir of Portland yet published has just been issued by L. Samuel, proprietor of the *West Shore*. It is a series of narrow photographic views, in one long strip and folded between substantial, neat covers—very similar to the views of New York and Washington which one is accustomed to see in book stores. The lithographing was executed in Leipzig, and is the finest. Principal among the scenes is a bird's-eye view of Portland, stretching from Swan Island to Ross Island, and taking in on the opposite side of the river the Cascade range, with the three great snow peaks. Besides these are views of all prominent public and business buildings, and most of the handsome residences in the city. In compactness and beauty, it rivals any previous work looking toward the presentation of Portland in the form of pictures.

WHAT SLOW LEGISLATION ACCOMPLISHED.—Some time last summer Louis Rachenberger, owner of a saloon corner First and Madison street, being in the fire limits, asked the council for permission to erect a wooden front to his building. The front stood back five feet from the inner edge of the sidewalk, and all he wanted was to erect a new front in line with the other buildings. His petition is raved for two or three months as a shuttlecock between the committee on fire and water and the committee on judiciary, and finally went back to the council who granted the request. In the meantime, tired of waiting, Rachenberger ignored the city government and put up a handsome brick front, which is now receiving finishing touches.

IN AGAIN.—Henry Bacon is in the city jail again on the old charge of assault and battery, with strong suspicion of being implicated in holding up a man. A fellow named Fox was also hauled in last night by the police and a little dispute occurred between him and Bacon, in which the latter received a reminder in the shape of a knock-down. Evidently Henry finds his match in jail, but he will hardly meet it outside.

SPIRITUALISM.—Dr. Marvin is announced in another column to speak to-morrow evening in the church on Second street, on "Modern Spiritualism." The theme is quite opportune now that the Young Men's Christian Association has undertaken, through a skillful exposer of spiritual legerdemain, the explanation of phenomena that have perplexed so many honest minds.

CAME DOWN A PEG.—There is but a single step from the sublime to the ridiculous, as was evinced the other day in the case of James Turk, who started out in the morning as a candidate for mayor of Astoria, and brought up at evening in the jail of that town, charged with being drunk and disorderly. Well, Jim felt more at home in the jail than he would in the mayor's office.

ATTACHED.—In the state circuit court, George A. Pleasance has begun suit against Joseph T. Haynes and wife, to recover $1465 85, due on household furniture purchased by defendants on June 28, 1883. Attachments have been placed upon Haynes's household furniture, and also upon his interest in the printing firm of D. C. Ireland & Co.

CHANGE OF TIME.—If business men will note the stroke of twelve to-day and then set their clocks ahead [seven] minutes before closing hours, they will be about right Monday morning with the new standard time to be adopted to-morrow.

GENERAL EDWARD HAMILTON.

Courts Adjourn Out of Respect to the Deceased Veteran's Memory—Resolutions of Members of the Bar.

According to a call issued the evening before, the members of the Bar Association of this city met yesterday evening at 9 o'clock, in the state circuit court room. J. G. Chapman called the meeting to order, and briefly stated its object to be to take suitable action regarding the death of one of their number, General Edward Hamilton. Thomas N. Strong was elected chairman, and Ralph Dement secretary. W. H. Effinger, R. L. McKee, Rufus Mallory and W. W. Chapman were then appointed a committee to draft a set of resolutions, which they did, as follows:

WHEREAS, In the providence of Almighty God our Father, General Edward Hamilton has been called from the scene of his usefulness; and

WHEREAS, We have met in open session to pay proper and respectful tribute to his memory; therefore be it

Resolved, That in the death of our aged and distinguished citizen, the bar of this state has lost a member whose high character and his noble [illegible] always drew to him the esteem and admiration of his associates.

Resolved, That in all the more than four score years of his life, he has illustrated in his walk those cardinal virtues which stamped him an honest, brave and true-hearted gentleman." This was true of him in his youth, when he gave heroic service to the state on the distant fields of Mexico, and was especially so in all our intercourse with him, whether on the bench or at the bar.

Resolved, That we request his honor Judge Raleigh Stott to enter these, our resolutions, upon the records of this court, as a becoming and proper indication of the estimation in which General Hamilton was held by us, his fellow members of the bar.

The above resolutions were unanimously adopted, and Judge Stott ordered them entered upon the record. He also adjourned court during the hours of the funeral service. Out of respect to the deceased veteran's memory the United States court also adjourned until afternoon. The burial exercises held over the remains of General Hamilton were private, being attended by the intimate friends and relatives of the deceased.

SCHOOL DIRECTORS MEETING.

Tax Refunded to C. E. Smith—Petition for a Night School Favorably Received—Miss Alice Parrish Enters as a Teacher.

The board of directors of the Portland public schools held their regular monthly meeting yesterday afternoon in the city council chamber, Mr. Williams in the chair; director Steele was absent.

The following bills were read and ordered paid: Teachers in November, $6956 65; janitors, $450; Marquam, rent, $275; Ira Goodenough, $100; stamps, $5; Willard Bonds, $1 35; D. Cole, $6 90; B. B. Whitfield, $3 50; Windhams & Elliott, $40; Ira Goodenough, $15; Water Co., $22; E. A. Swope & Co., $44; J. E. Seelack, tuition refunded, $5.

Based upon the certificate of the assessor of Multnomah county, the board ordered that C. E. Smith be refunded the tax on $14,000, erroneously assessed in 1883, less clerk's commission.

A petition was received from a number of boys asking the board to establish a night school. The matter was referred to a committee consisting of Messrs. Wilson and Versteeg, with authority to make the necessary arrangements to establish such school, providing a suitable person could be secured to take charge of and teach such class.

Miss Alice Parrish applied to the board for permission to enter the public schools as a pupil teacher. Granted.

Wm. Connell was allowed a deduction of his taxes on $4700, erroneously assessed on the roll of 1883.

Miss Atwood excused for non-attendance at the institute.

Prof. E. K. Warren asked to be excused for tardiness during the past week in consequence of illness. Request granted.

Mr. Wasserman was granted leave of absence for six weeks.

The regular monthly reports of the various principals were read and ordered filed.

BRIEF MENTION.

Change to new standard time to-morrow.

The Queen of the Pacific arrived here at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Gus Dyson has purchased a one-third interest in the *Farmers' Gazette*.

City time and time on all railroads will be set ahead ten minutes and fifty seconds at noon to-morrow.

The offering in St. Stephen's chapel to-morrow will be for domestic missions throughout the United States.

The indictment against Joe Bart has not been returned by the grand jury to the state circuit court yesterday.

E. J. Jeffrey yesterday received the sad news of the death, at an advanced age, of his mother, at her home in southern Michigan.

Mrs. J. B. Robb has donated a beautiful [illegible] plant for the adornment of the hall of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

A car ran over the Thirteenth-street branch of the Transcontinental railway yesterday. Regular service will soon be commenced on that street.

Regular meeting of Band of Hope No. 1 this afternoon at 2 o'clock, in the new hall of the W. C. T. U., on Washington street, between Front and First.

One of the crew of the steamer Lucia Mason fell overboard last evening and was fished out by his comrades in a very drenched and disgusted condition.

Yesterday J. C. Ball, architect, was tried in Justice White's court on the charge of perjury, and held to answer before the grand jury in the sum of $500 bonds.

The funeral of General Hamilton yesterday was private, but four of the Mexican veterans attended, among them Captain Tom McQuinn, who was with General Hamilton at Monterey, and desired to assist in the last tribute of respect to the veteran soldier.

G. A. R. MASQUERADE.

The fifth annual masquerade ball of George Wright Post No. 1, G. A. R., at Turn Halle last evening, was largely attended and proved a grand success. The gallery, stage and seats at the sides of the hall were crowded with spectators. The costumes were varied, and as usual, comprised clowns, jockies, sailors, soldiers, Indians, Chinamen and women, Rip Van Winkle, etc. There was no devil, for a wonder. The floor, with its motley crowd of maskers, presented an animated spectacle. Dancing was indulged in till a late hour, and the affair proved most enjoyable to all present.

Prizes were awarded as follows:

For richest lady's costume, work box, to Mrs. M. A. Wills, as the Jersey Lily.

For richest gentleman's costume, photograph album, to Frank Payne, as the Italian Prince.

Best sustained lady's character, work box, to Mrs. M. Brown, as a stylish colored girl.

Best sustained gentleman's character, a gold-headed cane, to D. Summers, as Rip Van Winkle.

Most comical character, a photo. frame, to E. Jacobs as "[illegible] photographer."

It would be easy to fill an entire paper with the testimonials which have been given by physicians, chemists and other educated persons in favor of Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder. This Powder has been in the market for years, and every professional man who has used it in his family will certify to its being wholesome.

The following named persons, employed by the N. P. R. R. Co. during the month of September, are requested to call at the office of Mr. G. [illegible], principal assistant engineer, cor. Front and D streets, at 7 P. M. on Saturday, the 15th inst., where, if properly identified, they can hear of something to their advantage: H. Ley, C. J. Forney, H. Hartman, W. Merritt, Robt. Riley, C. J. Forney, H. Hartman, W. Merritt, A. Johnson, V. C. Washburne, T. Nelson, G. J. Owen, Frank Quigley, Jno. Byrne, Geo. Ferguson, F. Armbrecht, F. Hampleh, H. Irwin, Chas. Fitts, J. Nagle, M. Coyle, Jas. Zolger, A. C. Forney, [illegible] Moore, A. [illegible], J. Nostern, Wm. Balk, R. Meyer, A. Thom, William Powers.

School taxes will be delinquent on the 22d of this month. Call on the clerk, [illegible] street and settle before costs are added. Taxes received until 8 o'clock in the evening.

The Most Acceptable Christmas Gift

To make a gentleman who smokes is a box of [good] cigars. N. Leuthold has just received his cigar department with an invoice of choice brands of imported and Key West goods, put up especially to suit the holiday trade, and will be pleased to show them. N. Leuthold, 40 First street, opposite the Union block.

BLACK CHAPTER UNEARTHED

Did Frank Johnson and His Paramour Murder Her Child?

HOW LITTLE PEARL SCHRADER MET DEATH

Taken One Night in Perfect Health from Her Nurse and Next Night Dead of Suffocation—Hasty Verdict.

About 2 o'clock on the morning of June 10, 1881, a child known as Pearl Schrader, aged 16 months, died in this city under very suspicious circumstances. She was the daughter of the woman who was shot last week by Frank Johnson. An inquest was held the same day by Coroner Garnold and a jury and a verdict of death from natural causes was returned. No reporters so far as known were present at the investigation, and the matter went by unnoticed. Since the shooting of Mrs. Johnson, Mrs Schrader or Mrs. McNaught, or whatever her name may be, persons familiar with the manner of the child's death, have revived the subject, and state openly that the death was violent. A reporter of THE OREGONIAN yesterday visited the county clerk's office and inspected the papers of Coroner Garnold, relating to the inquest over the child. The principal witness was Mrs. Mary Stark, a midwife. Her sworn testimony now on file in the clerk's office is summarized as follows:

THE NURSE'S TESTIMONY.

About April or May, 1880, Mrs. Yost came to me and asked me to take charge of a babe, the child of Mrs. Schrader, which was born in her house. I took charge of the babe, then about three months old, Mrs. Schrader agreeing to pay $15 a month for its board. I kept the child, which was pretty, strong and healthy, until day before yesterday (June 8, 1881,) between 5 and 6 P. M., when Mrs. Schrader took her away. Mrs. Schrader said to me several times that the child was very much in her way and was the cause of all her trouble. She took only the clothes the child had on, nothing additional, nor any night clothes. The next night, after midnight —I may be as late as 2 A. M.—Frank Johnson came running to my house, saying the child was dying. I hurried to Mrs. Schrader's room and found the child dead, but still warm. Blood was frothing from the mouth and nose, and the child was black in the face. I notified the police and demanded inquest. At times she said that she was married to Schrader, and at other times said she was not married.

OTHER EVIDENCE.

Caroline Beck, from whom Mrs. Schrader rented the room she then occupied, testified that about 10 o'clock on the night of June 9 she was called into Mrs. Schrader's room and saw Frank Johnson holding the child on his lap. It was black in the face and especially around the mouth. Johnson looked very much scared. Mrs. Schrader said the child was not hurt. I did not see the child again till next morning, long after it was dead; was not called in.

Mary Schrader testified that the child slept with her and Johnson that night; about 10 o'clock had a choking fit and did not breathe freely. About 12 o'clock it had another spell of heavy breathing; rubbed its nose and mouth; Frank then blew out the light and came to bed; did not call a physician; about 2 o'clock in the morning the child had another spell of heavy breathing, and when we lighted the lamp we found it dead; was not married to Schrader.

There was also some irrelevant testimony concerning a bottle of laudanum, and the possibility of a child sixteen months old opening a drawer, taking out the bottle, withdrawing the cork, drinking the contents and choking to death from it.

SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENTS.

Having read the above testimony, the reporter called on Mrs. Stark, at her residence on First street near Mill, and asked her to tell what she knew of the death of Pearl Schrader. Mrs. Stark related all that has been given above, and with it said that Mrs. Schrader had often asked her if there was no way of getting rid of the child; that if the child was out of the way, Johnson would marry her. I told her I would try to find a home for the child. A few days before the child was taken away, Johnson came in and offered me $25 to do away with the child. Of course I refused. I told him that I expected to find a home for the child within a month or so. He said that was too long to wait. A few days afterward, Mrs. Schrader took the child away. As soon as she took the child away, and did not take any clothes for it, I suspected something wrong, and when Johnson came to my house the next night, and told me the child was dead, the first words I said were: "You've killed that child." He said to keep still. When I got to her room and saw the blood frothing out of the mouth and nose, and the face all black I said to her, "You've killed Pearl!" She kept her face buried on her arm, and did not deny it, and Johnson begged me to keep still. My daughter and I had learned to love the child and I was very much excited, and told them I would not keep still. I went immediately and informed the police.

"Why did you not testify to all this before the coroner?" asked the reporter. "There is nothing in the testimony on file about Johnson trying to hire you to get rid of the child."

Mrs. Stark replied that she did make all these statements to the jury, and probably the man who wrote out the testimony did not get it all down. She was so worked up over the terrible crime that she knew had been committed that the jury, no doubt, thought she was half crazy.

What confirms her belief that the child was foully dealt with, is the fact that when she first took the child, Mrs. Schrader was a constant visitor, never allowing a week to pass without coming to see it. She was then working out as a domestic. After she took up with Johnson the visits grew more infrequent, and then ceased. During the last six months that the child was alive, the mother [illegible] it more than once or twice. After the child's death the mother did not claim any of the child's clothing or ornaments, and these Mrs. Stark has given away. Mrs. Stark added further that no child was always strong, and that it was in perfect health on the night it was removed.

FRESH OPENED OYSTERS.

Country customers, wishing fresh opened Shoalwater oysters can order the same from C. A. Malarkey, Fourth and Morrison streets. He is prepared to fill all orders from one quart to ten gallons. Empty cans returned by express free. Baltimore Eastern and Transplanted Eastern always on hand.

OUTGOING PASSENGERS.

The Columbia sailed at midnight with the following passengers:

C A Florence
F A Robbins
Paul Nels
A H Meyer
E Braun
F Fletcher
W M Doorman
[illegible] A Leoito
K [illegible] R Blum & sister
I Williams
Mrs O Norton
Mrs C M Holcomb
Mrs F Hannah
G [illegible]
J Lobenstein
Capt McAdam
D D Griffith
John Godfrey
Lewis Mann
C H Hall
Jim Boldwin
G A Bee
Mrs Walker
G S Silver
E Elmore & family
Isaac Blum
La Roogrial
W Ronley
A L Baldwin
John Scotcher
V Zan
[illegible] W Whittier & wf
A O Le Roy
John Tierney
W C Spencer
Miss S Fox
J F Forbes
Won Ling Tong
One Lung
Jos Fagan
Marion Fekhausty & wf
Mrs McEvoy
I S Beach
E Cutick
Mrs M Fettis & 2 chn
E L Kamp
Wy Ren
L W Long

H M Landis
H Oppenheimer
J Peifer
W E Edwards
Fred Mackey
Marshall Blum
Miss E Anderson
N S James & wf
J H Dixon & wf
E Devitt
Mrs Minnie M Norton
Miss Holcomb
T H Adrisson
A W McMillan
F Montgomery
A C Norton
Thos Beck
J E Jordan
W S Wood
Thos Strong
E L Green
Mrs Sturmock & chd
W S Clark
A L Baldwin & wf
S Reinhardt
A D Verner
H A Coolloom
A Jenks
M A Drysdimer
Capt J E Puttlepen
H S Ferguson
A Brandenruhl & wf
W F Woods
S E Brown
E E Bass
Miss Annie Mooney
F A McDonald
Wung Poo
John H [illegible]y & wf
F C Breed and & wf
Sadie McEvoy
Miss J McEvoy
J E Berton
H Palmer
W B Walton & wf
B W Chang
J W Kinsman
Y Wo Lung

C. C. Shayne, fur manufacturer, 103 Prince st., N. Y., sends Fur Fashion Book free. Send your address.

CITY NOTICES.

Go to Keith's for oysters.

Eastern oysters every steamer at Keith's.

Oysters four dollars per sack at Keith's.

Christmas trees, candles and trimmings at Postoffice Candy Store, Multnomah Block, opposite Postoffice.

Largest quantity of Christmas tree trimming, glass balls, etc., at Postoffice Candy Store.

My wife is happy. Barbey repaired her sewing machine. Yamhill street, between First and Second.

Fresh, sweet, apple cider and old [illegible] vinegar for family use. Metzger, 47 Third, near First.

For the best crayon portraits leave your orders with J. E. Stuart. Studio, Room 20 Ainsworth block.

Cheapest place to buy Christmas trees, candles and holders, and cornucopias, at Postoffice Candy store.

Choice brands of wines, liquors and cigars at the Cosmopolite, corner First and A [illegible] r.

Take Dr. Henley's Celery, Beef and Iron, while you can, for it adds twenty years to the life of man.

All kinds mixed nuts and fancy pastry, silk and satin boxes at Postoffice Candy Store.

Special attention paid to Sunday school trade. Large and small Christmas trees at the Postoffice candy store.

The N. P. Express will open for business Monday, December 17, in their new quarters, Nos. 5 and 7 Washington street, between Front and First.

F. Stevenson will open the West saloon this evening, and will entertain all comers with a fine lunch. Don't forget the place, First street, between Yamhill and Taylor.

The latest patterns in [illegible] dress goods at Neimeyer's. All the novelties [illegible] cut and finished promptly and in good style.

A loan may be effected with Uncle Myers to ide over many a financial squeeze. Perfect secrecy and square dealing at 181 First street, corner of Yamhill.

"Home, Sweet Home" tea box [illegible] Stone's candy and imported delicacies. Corner First and Ash, near New Market Theater.

Eclipse Extra Dry is the wine [illegible] law use at all banquets and parties. Connoisseurs prefer what they know to be a pure wine to imported champagnes, three-fourths of which are known to be adulterated.

Garrison's Sewing Machine Store, 167 Third street, Portland, Or.—General agent for the two favorites, the White and Household; dealer in all standard sewing machines, oil, needles, attachments and genuine parts. Machines repaired and warranted.

Admiring crowds flock now to Uncle Myers', 181 First street, to select Christmas gifts from the grand and varied assortment of watches, jewelry, etc. The low prices beat anything ever known.

$50,000 to loan on valuables at the lowest rates. Apply to W. Gibbes, the leading pawnbroker, 23 First street, New Market block. He is thoroughly reliable.

THE OUTRAGE ON SAILORS.

Unvarnished Statement of How the Five Men were Taken Forcibly from a Vessel.

An interview was had yesterday with two of the seamen recently removed by force from the British bark Ironside, while that vessel was lying at anchor off Astoria. Five sailors went down from Portland to the vessel, and were to sign the articles at Astoria. They were sent down by Captain A. C. Bell and the Mariners' home. The Astoria shipping masters, headed by Jim Turk, Grant and others, run four boarding-houses and claim the sole privilege of shipping men from the two ports. They usually compel seamen to secure three months, or $90 advance. The boarding house master takes good care to deprive the sailor of what is left after the board bill and outrageous charges are paid. Turk and associates have had almost a monopoly in supplying crews, and will even resort to piratical proceedings to maintain their position. The Ironside, having on board the five men from Portland was boarded by about thirty men of the Astoria pirates. Some of them rushed into the forecastle where the men were at work stowing away their clothes. The spokesman said the five men were shipping under wages, and demanded that they go ashore directly. This was resented, when their clothes were seized and taken on deck. Again the men were accosted and told that they must go along, as the boarding force was fully able to compel such a course, and "kicking" would avail nothing; at the same time the information was volunteered that Astoria seamen had struck for higher wages. The five men were hustled over the rail into boats and taken to a saloon on shore, where being five men and but four boarding houses, a test was made to see which house should get the odd man. Citizen Turk's usual good luck did not desert him, and he secured two unwilling boarders. One of the sailors interviewed says he was told to hide and asked to consent to be locked in a room. This he refused, and went out upon the street, followed by several hirelings of the combination. He states that he intended to hop the chief of police and claim protection, but met Mrs. Bell, and with one companion came to this city yesterday. This high-handed proceeding will be made the subject of investigation before the United States court, and the perpetrators of the outrage, or a part of them, may learn that a ship is as much a man's castle as his house.

MILITARY AND PERSONAL.

Vancouver Independent.

Gen. Miles and Major Kimball returned to headquarters on Saturday.

The quartermaster's department will soon be reinforced by fifty mules recently purchased.

Lt. O. E. S. Wood and family are in the city. Lt. Wood will probably return to Fort Canby in a few days.

Dr. T. T. Cabaniss, late post surgeon at Fort Canby, has gone to Astoria to reside since his term in the army expired.

Com. Sergt. John Lutz has been relieved from duty at Fort Stevens, and assigned to duty at Fort Coeur d'Alene, temporarily.

The war department has authorized an officer to be specially detailed at the different department headquarters as inspector of rifle practice.

Lieutenant Eugene Blondi has resigned his commission in the United States revenue marine service, and will return to Port Townsend to engage in business.

Capt. J. C. Adams, First cavalry, has been relieved from duty as member of the board for the purchase of cavalry horses. The meeting of the board has been postponed until January 5.

Capt. G. T. Smith of the quartermaster's department, Lt. J. A. Adams, First cavalry and Lt. G. B. Backus, First cavalry, are constituted a board to inspect and purchase horses and mules for the service. The board will meet in Portland on the 15th of December, and will proceed to such localities in southern Oregon as may be necessary for the purpose. The board will remain in session until the requisite number of horses are secured.

YAMHILL NOTES.

[FROM THE OREGONIAN'S LOCAL CORRESPONDENT.]

MCMINNVILLE, Dec. 13.

J. O. Spencer of Clifton is at home on a visit.

Hon. Henry Warren is away from his office on account of sickness.

M. Underwood has bought 100 acres of land of John Corlis for $3000.

There will be a Christmas tree at Lownsdale hall on the evening of the 24th.

Captain C. Latourette and H. Z. Foster of Sheridan, and Captain Medorum Crawford of Dayton, were in town during the week.

W. H. Harrison of Amity went to Portland yesterday to meet the remains of his mother, who died at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, recently.

McMinnville has been remarkably free so far this season considering that there is so much scarlet fever, diphtheria and typhoid fever in other towns in the valley.

Officers of Sterling Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, elected for the ensuing year: J. C. Cooper, H. P.; H. V. V. Johnson, K.; J. F. Wisecarver, S.; A. H. Hodson, Sec.; C. D. Johnson, Treas.; G. F. Tucker, C. H.; J. A. C. Freund, P. S.; G. W. Fa[illegible], R. A. C.; J. F. C[illegible], 3d V.; L. S. Sut[illegible], 2d V.; A. L. Snyder, 1st V.; W. H. Bingham, Sent.

STEAMER SAILING DATES.

Following is a corrected schedule of sailing dates of the O. R. & N. and Pacific Coast steamships for the remainder of this month and for January:

FROM PORTLAND, MIDNIGHT.	FROM SAN FRANCISCO, 10 A. M.
Queen, Tuesday, Dec. 18	Oregon, Saturday, Dec. 15
Oregon, Friday. 21	State, Thursday. 20
State, Wednesday. 26	Columbia, Wednesday. 26
Columbia, Tuesday, Jan 1	Oregon, Monday. 31
Oregon, Sunday. 6	State, Saturday, Jan. 5
State, Friday. 11	Columbia, Thursday. 10
Columbia, Wednesday. 16	Oregon, Tuesday. 15
Oregon, Monday. 21	State, Sunday. 20
State, Saturday. 26	Columbia, Friday. 25
Columbia, Thursday. 31	

U. S. STATE CIRCUIT COURT—STOTT, J.

FRIDAY, Dec. 14.

Rhodes vs. Wood—Judgment on the verdict.

Fagan vs. Clinton—Dismissed.

Northwestern Manufacturing and Car Company vs. Lenton—Default and judgment.

Jillette vs. Hamilton—Judgment on the verdict.

Grand jury presented sixteen indictments and eight not true bills.

POLICE COURT—MORELAND, J.

John Kelly—Drunk; fifteen days in jail.

John Egston—Drunk, forfeited $5; defacing a building, forfeited $15.

John Smith—Fast driving; forfeited $5.

G. H. Williamson—Obstructing street; continued.

GEN. SHERMAN ON WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

To THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

Gen. Sherman, when in New Hampshire last spring, visited a young ladies' seminary in one of its towns, and made a short address to his girls thereof. The following is an extract from his remarks: "It is pleasant to look into these cheerful faces before me. It is pleasant to look upon life. There young ladies before me are soon to pass from these places to spheres of usefulness and influence—not to vote I hope. I would not vote were I you, and thus lose so much of your beautiful and refining natures which is so becoming to the wives and mothers."

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BUSINESS ITEMS.

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AMUSEMENTS.

No actor has ever visited Portland with a stronger endorsement from the highest society circles and the daily press than John S. Langrishe, who appears Monday at the New Market Theater, supported by a company all of whom are new to this section. Langrishe is personally familiar to every section of the United States except the extreme northwest. Dropping into management and quitting the active stage some years ago, his name has become less familiar on account of the prominently advertised stars of late years. Many years since he achieved a name and position while but a youth and starred throughout New York State and Pennsylvania, until commencing management of a circuit from Chicago through Wisconsin and Minnesota, and was the first to enter Colorado as early as 1860. He brought his entire company by wagons over the trail defending themselves twice from Indian attacks. He built theaters in Denver, Central City, Georgetown, and also in Helena and Virginia City, Montana. Among the prominent members of his company were C. W. Braidock, of "Dunstan Kirke" fame, and George Francefort, Madame Scheller, the Thomas Charles and Ed and others of equally well-known prominence. He has been the pioneer of each new section of the country, and is now the first to bring a strictly legitimate comedy company westward over the new Northern Pacific. The Salt Lake *Herald* of Dec. 13 thus aptly describes his style: "A large audience greeted the Langrishe organization last evening and the applause and laughter were loud and long continued. Mr. Langrishe himself is one of the best of comedians. He plays a part with such a thorough appreciation of what the author desires to be conveyed to the audience, and is, withal, so easy and unforced in bringing out his points that all are agreeably impressed with him at once. Some comedians work hard for the plaudits of spectators. Langrishe does quite the reverse. While making the audience laugh he is easy and is quiet as a June zephyr and those who witness his performances hardly know why it is that they surrender so much of their dignity to mirthfulness; they only know that they do." The entire programme will be changed on Wednesday and again on Friday, and also on Saturday afternoon. The company will appear in New Tacoma on Christmas day, going from there to Seattle and Victoria.

PROFESSOR REED AT MASONIC HALL.—A most pleasing, interesting and amusing entertainment was given last evening in Masonic hall. Professor C. H. Reed, the great physical medium, fairly took the audience by storm and round after round of applause greeted his wonderful feats. To-night an entire change of programme will be given. The Katie King freak will be exposed in full, as also the popular dance given. Also the post test, slate situation and other more than wonderful feats. Tickets at I. K. Gill & Co.'s and at the hall.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

DEEDS.

W. J. Leahy and wife to Thomas B. Bowes, lots 11, 12, 13 and 14, block 1, in Railroad shop addition to Albina, Nov. 23—$1700.

Alexander Schwatka [illegible] to Caroline E. Rodgers, lot 12, block 5, Albina, Dec. 4—$250.

E. A. Marquam and wife to Vincent J. De Freitas, lots 7 and 8, blk 3, Homestead, Nov. 19—$425.

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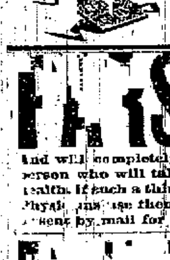

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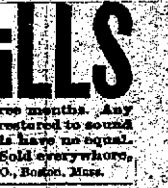

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SATURDAY MORNING, DEC. 15, 1883.

THE EAST SIDE.

SICK AND DESTITUTE.

On the 18th of September last a carpenter, named E. M. Roberts, met with a shooting accident, while residing in the vicinity of Columbia slough, which cost him his left arm. Subsequently he removed to this city with his family—wife and one child—locating on J and Fourteenth streets. Here his wife fell sick, and he being unable to work, through the loss of his arm, the family have been reduced to want and the necessity of appealing to charity for assistance. The matter being brought to the attention of the marshal, he interested himself in their behalf, and, failing in other sources, was successful in collecting $11 from the saloon keepers, which, with $2 contributed by a merchant, represents their present means of keeping the wolf at bay. Dr. C. S. Smith is attending the invalid woman gratuitously, and if others would emulate the example of the saloon men the family might be placed beyond the pale of want during their present emergency.

BUILDING COLLAPSED.

A frame addition to Thomas Freeman's wagon shop on J street, used as a blacksmith shop, suddenly collapsed yesterday about 1 o'clock, as the result of an attempt to raise it to the new grade. W. O. Allen is the contractor for the raising, and the workmen had just returned from dinner when the accident occurred, but fortunately managed to escape from the falling building without injury. De Lashmutt & Oatman are the owners of the building.

MASONIC ELECTION.

The annual election of officers of Washington Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, held Thursday evening, resulted as follows: M. E. H. P., William Underhill; E. K., C. C. Jones; E. S., J. E. Boynton; C. of H., S. R. Harrington; P. S., L. B. Fields; R. A. C., Fairchild Kells; Mast. 3d V., H. C. Myer; Mast. 2d V., J. L. Sperry; Mast. 1st V., C. G. Garrison; treasurer, C. E. Raberty; secretary, S. Bullock; sentinel, M. Stoker.

NOTES.

John Kenworthy, steward of the insane asylum, is visiting the city on business.

It now transpires that S. T. Myers, who died and was buried by charity a few days since, left $500 in coin.

The last term before the holidays of the schools in district No. 2, closed yesterday. The next term commences January 2.

The sale of the Dillon strip of property on Third street for delinquent street improvement assessment, takes place this morning.

A. H. Breyman, of Breyman & Summerville, and Gus. Struble, wife and boy, returned home from California by steamer last evening.

A very dead drunk was gathered in by officer Jerelaman last evening. Five twenties and a few dollars in silver were found upon his person.

EAST PORTLAND PULPITS.

M. E. church, Rev. E. P. Wilson, pastor—Service at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath school at 12:30.

Congregational church, Holladay's addition, Rev. A. W. Bower pastor—Services at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath school at 12:30.

St. David's Episcopal church, Rev. John W. Sellwood rector—Services to-morrow at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath school at 12:15.

Preaching in Shute's hall, Stephens' addition, by Rev. A. Schlenk at 3:30 P. M. Friends and neighbors are cordially invited to attend.

First Presbyterian church, corner of J and Sixth streets, D. O. Ghormley pastor—Services at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath school at 12:30.

United Brethren church, Rev. G. Bickafoose pastor—Regular services at Ross & Story's hall to-morrow at 11 A. M. No evening service.

Seventh Day Adventist Church, on G between Tenth and Eleventh streets, Rev. Charles L. Boyd, pastor—Sabbath school every Sabbath "Saturday" at 10:30 A. M. Preaching on bible reading at 2 P. M., followed by social meeting. Preaching on bible reading Sunday evening. Prayer meeting Tuesday evening. All are cordially invited.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Scandinavian Baptist church, corner of Caruthers and Sixth streets—Services 11 o'clock A. M. and 7:30 P. M. by Rev. G. L. Hjerdin.

Scandinavian M. E. church, corner of D and Twelfth streets—Rev. C. J. Larson, pastor. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.

Lutheran service in the Norwegian-Danish language at 2:30 P. M. in the basement of Presbyterian church, corner Third and Washington streets. H. Eagle, Pastor.

German M. E. church, corner North Eighth and D streets—J. C. Sinclair, pastor. Services Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M., and all evenings of the following week.

Taylor-street M. E. church—Rev. Geo. W. Izer, pastor. Preaching at 11 A. M. and at 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 12:45 P. M. Praise meeting at 6:30 P. M. The public is cordially invited to all the services.

Unitarian church—T. L. Eliot, minister. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. The evening discourse is the third historical lecture concerning the days of the reformation and is entitled "Geneva and John Calvin." The public is invited.

The First Baptist church, corner Fourth and Alder streets—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. L. W. Hayhurst, to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock, and at 7:30 o'clock in the evening. Seats free. Sabbath school at 12:30 o'clock, immediately after the morning service.

First German Evangelical Church, corner Eighth and Clay streets—Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sabbath school 9:30 A. M. Services by the pastor, A. Schlenk, residence, 191 C ay street. A [illegible] at 11 A. M. [illegible] evening at 7 P. M. Sunday school at 12:30 P. M. Social meeting Thursday evening at 7:30 P. M. All pews free. Strangers always welcome.

The Christadelphians—Meeting at 105½ First street (Room No. 6, over Prentice's music store), between Washington and Stark streets. Mr. A. Marshall will deliver his third lecture on Sunday at 11 A. M. Subject—The Great Apostasy, viz: Its Final Overthrow. Seats free. No collections.

United Presbyterian Mission—The place of holding services has been changed from Prentice hall, 10 First street, to the Grand music hall, corner Clay and First, and the hour of service from 2:30 P. M. to 11 A. M. This is a cosy, well-lighted hall on the ground floor. The public are cordially invited.

First Presbyterian Church—Corner of Third and Washington streets—Rev. A. L. Lindsley, pastor. Services morning and evening. Sabbath school at 12:30. Thursday evening lecture at 7:30. A cordial welcome tendered to strangers, and especially to young people, to all meetings.

First Congregational church, corner Second and Jefferson streets—Services to-morrow at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Preaching by the pastor Dr. Frederic R. Marvin. Morning subject—"The Source of Christian Courage." In the evening the pastor will speak upon "Modern Spiritualism." Sunday school at 12:30 P. M. Young people's meeting at 6:45 P. M.

Calvary Presbyterian church—Services as usual morning and evening. Morning services at 11 o'clock, sermon by Rev. W. D. Lee. Sabbath school at 12:30 P. M. Evening service at 7:30 by the pastor, Rev. E. T. Lee. The sermon will be the fifth in the course on "The Seven Last Words of Jesus." Pastor's residence southeast corner of Columbia and Sixth streets.

The church of Sea and Land, corner of Third and D streets, Chaplain Stubbs, pastor—Sunday school at 9:30 A. M., for one hour. Preaching at 7:30 P. M. by the chaplain. Monday—Bethel Home Lodge at 7 P. M. Tuesday—Prophetic study and prayer. Thursday—Prayer meeting. Friday—Woman's Christian Temperance Union services. These meetings at 7:30 P. M.

Washington Territory.

The Walla Walla Statesman has enlarged.

The report that Hank Vaughn killed the district attorney at Boise City is denied at Walla Walla.

The loggers on Lewis river, have suffered largely from the destruction of their booms by the recent freshet.

Mr. W. H. Gray, father of Captain Jas. T. Gray, who went east with the pioneer excursion, has returned home.

A Walla Walla policeman's residence was entered by a burglar Tuesday morning, who secured a gold watch and $30.50 in cash.

On the south fork of the Walla Walla river, above Milton, a tree, which George Hardwicke was engaged in cutting down, fell on one of his legs, crushing it so badly as probably to necessitate amputation.

Vancouver Independent: The question of taxing church property will be submitted to the voters of Vancouver at the next election, with the purpose of instructing the next legislature as to the will of the people in the matter.

Governor W. A. Newell recently made a visit to Vancouver and made a careful investigation of the case of Simmons, under sentence for murder, and thoroughly interviewed him, fully satisfying himself as to the mental condition of the convicted man.

Friday evening the wrist pin of the engine in Bradford & Frame's new mill at the Upper Cascades broke, and the piston rod went tearing among the different parts of the engine, making a complete wreck of it. The damage is about $1500. New engines are being built.

Washington Territory has a population of 92,608, from which it is found that it requires 2854 for a member of the house, and 7,706 for a member of the council. According to the proposed new apportionment the house will consist of twenty-three members, and the council of twelve members, but the Clarke county delegation will remain as at present constituted.

Land Birds in Mid-Ocean.

Popular Science Monthly.

The appearance of some of the smaller varieties of migratory birds, such as sparrows, swallows, doves, etc., several hundred miles away from the nearest land, is by no means an unusual occurrence on the ocean. About these little erratic visitors there are some curious and interesting facts. Their appearance is almost always one at a time, though I have known a considerable number, representing, perhaps, as many different varieties, to accumulate in the course of a day. It is usually, though not always, in stormy or unsettled weather.

The first curious fact about these birds is that they never appear to be tired out; whereas birds are often met with near the land with their strength quite exhausted. A second curious fact about them is their preternatural tameness where there is no cat or dog on board, and the crew show no disposition to molest them, as exhibited by their apparently seeking rather than avoiding the presence of man.

Another curious fact about them is the recovery of all their native wildness and their instinctive avoidance of man's presence on approaching the land. The first time I noticed this fact was with a pair of olive-colored ring doves, which, from their remarkable tameness and familiarity I was led to believe had been bred in a domestic state and perhaps on shipboard. I kept them in the skylight in the cabin, where they seemed to be quite contented; but on approaching the land they became the wildest of the wild. One of them escaped and flew away. I succeeded in taking the other into port, where I gave it its liberty. Now, I am certain that these birds could not have been apprised of the approach to the land through the medium of any of their ordinary senses. This curious circumstance led me to notice more particularly the conduct of other varieties of these little wanderers upon the ocean so far from their native haunts, and I find that they nearly all exhibit to a greater or less extent this same curious characteristic.

MORE ABOUT WYOMING.

PORTLAND, Dec. 4, 1883.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

One of your correspondents, W. W. King, writing from Seattle, disputes the unanimous declarations of the governors of Wyoming, made in their messages to the legislatures, that woman suffrage has been productive of good results and good only, in that territory. Then he proceeds at some length to impugn the honesty of these gentlemen. Now, either governors Campbell, Thayer and Hoyt have told untruths in their official documents or the correspondent has made an unwarranted attack on their integrity. I, for one, am constrained to remark that not only is the weight of evidence greatly in favor of the officials, by reason of numbers (three to one), but that the correspondent wholly upsets his claim to "knowing whereof he speaks" when he makes the ludicrous blunder of saying that "they were then politicians and office-seekers, where it was necessary to do something to secure the female vote." Even a child ought in this age to know that the governors of territories are appointed by the president of the United States, and do not find it "necessary to do something" to obtain the votes of either men or women. The gentlemen whom I quoted were wholly independent of the "female vote," with the one exception of Speaker Andrews, who is a democrat, and who would hardly join republican governors in "speaking for a purpose." Furthermore, I conceive that it be a novel kind of "gratification" which would prompt a governor to put wholesale misrepresentations and falsehoods in an official communication to men who must know the truth. The correspondent's insinuations are contrary to facts and common sense.

"The bad women are more numerous than the good." A man's opinions are naturally much affected by his surroundings. So far as my observation has gone—and it has not been limited—the proportion of bad women is small. I shall deem the above remark a wanton slander on womanhood until Mr. K. comes forward with facts to support his "glittering generality."

Mormonism, the creation of men, has grown up in a government made and administered by men; in a government that has trampled a sacred principle in the dust by denying representation to women; but your correspondent, with sublime impudence, wants to hold women responsible for the giant evil of "polygamy." Instead of charging this monster iniquity to the weakness of a government of and by men, he would make the existence of polygamy a reason for longer disfranchising American women. I am astonished that any man should thus "plead the baby act." Why, he might as well expect saloon-keepers to vote for prohibition, as to look for the overthrow of "polygamy" by the ignorant, superstitious and deluded creatures—largely drawn from the peasantry of Europe—who comprise the Mormon women, and who would thus be [illegible] ourselves, with their children, bearing the [illegible] Let the American women be heard through the ballot-box. Mr. K., if you would know how they abhor "polygamy."

Mr. K. concludes by saying: "Woman's influence at the polls in Wyoming is a blank." Now I want to cite him to the first part of his letter, where in trying to show that women had full power to use the ballot, he declared that "there was always a quiet and order at the polls," and "he never knew or heard of any disturbance," etc., etc. The Laramie Sentinel says that prior to the enactment of the women suffrage law "the elections were often a sort of Donnybrook fair." I may be allowed to add that an influence which has brought them to quiet and order is "not a blank."

Mr. K. makes many blunders which show his woeful ignorance of the principles and objects of the equal rights movement. For instance he says that woman suffragists propose to put in competition that which is enjoyed in common; that they seek to "cause the wife to aspire to the sole possession of that which she shares in holding jointly with and through her husband;" that in the family they would have her "aspire to be the head," etc. This is all pure nonsense.

Mr. K. ignores all principles of just government, and the rights of each citizen to an untrammeled expression of opinion, and gives considerable attention to the probable effects of the votes of women. It is none of his business how women would vote; no more than it is my business to say how he will vote; no more than it is congress' business to know beforehand how Washington territory will send politically when admitted to statehood. Woman will cast her ballot as she sees fit. However, it may be added that her love for her children, her home and country will ever lead her to favor morality, sobriety and good government.

I might reply to numerous other parts of Mr. K's letter, but perhaps I have already used too much space in answering one who makes statements so recklessly. Furthermore, Rev. D. J. Pierce of a town city, has furnished tolerably explicit answers to several of his questions and assertions.

W. S. D.

A Fact Worth Remembering.

A severe cold, or cough can be soonest cured by taking, according to directions, Allen's Lung Balsam. It can be procured at any drug store. It is harmless to the most delicate person, and can be given to children without fear of injury. Try it if you have a cold or cough.

EAST PORTLAND LETTER LIST.

The following letters remain in the East Portland postoffice, Dec. 14, 1883:

WOMEN'S LIST.

Byrne, Mollie	McFarland, Watts
Baker, Miss Minnie (2)	McLeod, Mrs Lucie
Campbell, Viola M	Osterhout, Anna
Campbell, Josephine	Olsen, I V
Cannady, Miss Mary	Paterson, Lizzie
Calhoun, Miss Sadie	Parks, Miss Rosa
Cummings, Miss Ida	Paveman, Hannah
Cox, Laura	Polson, Kitty
Dearloff, Mrs Zetta	Richardson, Hattie
Frost, Mrs Alice	Rogue, Julia
Hill, Mary G	Scott, Mrs Clara
Hall, Catherine	Stickert, Rebecca (2)
Hamilton, Mrs Molly	Severance, Mrs Sarah
Handel, Miss Bertie	Sommers, Minnie
	Smith, Sarah M
Kennedy, Miss Ruth A	Shaver, Susie
Kennedy, Mrs Dora	Smith, Mary E
Kindred, Mrs T	Shore, Mrs L M
	Smith, Annie M
Lund, Rosa	
	White, Mrs Wm
McIvry, Sarah	White, Miss Emma
Mitchell, Kattie (2)	Woodard, Miss Martha
Mees, R	Woodard, Mrs H C
Merwale, Tressie	Woodard, Fannie
McCoy, Hulda	

MEN'S LIST.

Anderson, Jacob	Flater, John	McCroden, R
Abernethy, M R	Foster, Chas	Nixon, N
	Finger, Sam	Nichols, A
Brubaker, E L		
Bianetti, Geo	Glover, Chas	Pemberton, Chas H
Badman, S	Gakin, A L	
Bad, Frank (2)		Patterson, Cyrus
Bond, Wm	Hofsteadt, C M	Platt, James
Brummell, Clarence	Hutchinson, A F	Powell, P A
Bowie, W N	Huey, J N (2)	
Bolenbaugh, Jacob W	Huester, Dr J N	Reid, John
Bellemore, Chas	Hamilton, James	Ray, A
	Hanneesy, Jas	Ryan, John
	Hanson, Chris	Riley, Frank
Carmody, M E		Rankin, J B
Calvin & Bro	Johnson, Eddie A	Roberts, J P
Carr, Robt	Johnson, L L	
Cavanaugh, —	Jackson, Dan	Stine, Day A
Callahan, Peter	Jackson, N W	Stevens, J F
Champlin, Frank N	Johnson, Chas	Stock, John
Clark, Nancy E		Scofield, N I
Champlin, P N	Klippel, Charles	Schramm, Chas
Coffman, J	Koller, Fred	Spalding, A
Cooper, E R	Kuntz, Wm	
Coleman, Dan'l P	Knoth, Chas	Taylor, M J
Carrell, S E		Tilton, C C
	Lewis, O F	Traylor, T J
Dearderff, J N	Lunny, Thos D	Thompson, Sam'l
Davis, Frank S	Long, J S	Taylor, C
Davidson, Wm	Land, P D	
Daly, Chas		Winston, Robt
Davis, N M, M D	Murewa, John	Whitlock, L
	Muller, N	Winengla, Jas
Emery, Henry (2)	Miller, Minter	Wendell, J
Elliott, P N (2)	Marsh, ill, J	Wagner, F F
Eason, O C	Martin, W N	Wade, W F
	McKenzie, J R	Werry, Chas

H. COGSWELL, P. M.

Ask your druggist for a free Trial Bottle Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption.

THE HOTELS.

ST. CHARLES.

J N Chamberlain, Nehem	Miss Nellie Fife, Salem
J A Lawrence, S F	J C Crowe, Pennsylvania
H E Battin & wf, do	M L Crowe, do
C S Vick, do	O H Hudgins, do
Wm Bensh, Fon Du Lac	A Mattrust, Astoria
L S Lawrence, S F	B F Jones & wf, do
G W Bay, Kansas City	W B Dillard, St Helens
F H Broon, Roseburg	G W Conin, do
Miss A E Downing, Hillsboro	Mrs Willis, do
R H Fyson, do	T Garland, Butteville
W Miller, Astoria	L B Brazee, McCoy
J A Whitty, Dalles	F Bilcade, do
C Melquist, do	O H Adolfe, Hillsboro
Dr Smith, Winnipeg	J C Riggs, Dallas
P H Devlin, Hilgard	H B Parker, Astoria
Mrs McGhu, Umpqua	Miss Kate Anderson, S F
F E High, Denver	D D Griffiths, Baker City
S H Brown & wf, Mt Idaho	H C Norton, do
Mrs J C Adkison, do	D G Darland & wf, Oakland
G W W Blaine, Cascades	W G Deaberry, Chicago
G B Simmons, S F	S M T. ne & wf, England
W P Keady, Yaquina	J S Jones, Astoria
Mrs Laughlin, St Helens	J Ellis, Eel O Oland
A Moore, Bridal Veil	S R Crowley, Oak Grove
Miss Mastin, Gervais	A Yates, do
J Kosh & wf, Eugene	F Hemforry, S F
T B Wallace, Jr, N Tacoma	C C Wyatt, do
H H Watkins, Oakland	L Hirsher, Walpum
W A Cummins, Independence	

CLARENDON.

T Baldwin, Dalles	Dr L H Whitehouse, Spokane
A Bettinger, do	W D Wilmot, S, [illegible]
J Smith, do	O Bower, Salem
J Traver, Cal	A O Prender & wife, Oakland
H A Clark & wf, Prineville	
Mrs Clark, Independence	A Ehlan, S [illegible]
E M Ellis, do	W F Highfield, [illegible]
Capt Geo Flavel, Astoria	W Gardner, New Orleans
J E White, Nevada	J A Enoch & wf, Los Angeles
T Peters, Los Angeles	
Mrs J Mathews & dr, S F	Mrs A Diller, Seattle
H Richards, S F	Mrs F Alger, do
J Hammond, S F	E S Camp, do
Mrs Cooz, S F	R W Jamieson, Denver
E Huston, Omaha	

ESMOND.

H Auerbach, Seattle	F A Cubbs, Coeur d'Alene
W O Riley, St Paul	J Bittner & John, Lewiston
W H Upson, do	L B Whitehouse, Spokane
C Nicols, Minneapolis	L V Wells, Coeur d'Alene
J Galbraith, Brooklyn	H W McBride, S [illegible]
W H Wilton, Spangle	W S Hoyte, Sea, do
N Henry Shamblin	C Harris & wf, Vancouver
N Gills, Salem	L David, N York
S Saul, St Paul	J Sampler, do
B Goldpay, London	E Smith, Washington
S O Ford, Montana	H Martin, N York
D Fisher, Butte	A Richards, Day [illegible]
N Hull, Montana	H Hagman, San Jose
W Logan, Hillsboro	A Sullivan, N York
N Weaver, do	A Bresler, Paris
F Gumbinner, N York	E B [illegible], Spokane
F Quint, Astoria	M Windler, Salem
D Quick, do	F Smalley, Albany
S Hart, N Tacoma	W Hayes, San Fran
A Cook, St Paul	S Clem, do

Hop Bitters Co., Toronto: Sept. 16th.

I have been sick for the past six years suffering from dyspepsia and general weakness. I have used three bottles of Hop Bitters and they have done wonders for me. I am well and able to work, and eat and sleep well. I cannot say too much for Hop Bitters.

SIMON ROBBINS.

TRADE AND COMMERCE.

FRIDAY, Dec. 14.

Oregon railway stocks again lower, O. R. & N. touching the centennial figure, but closing at the best point for the day.

The New York Canal season terminated December 1 and the statistics of the season's traffic show large gain over last year, the increase in the quantity of grain carried being 11,518,508 bushels.

Owing to the disbursement of pension moneys to the amount of $12,000,000 the reduction of the national debt during the month of November was but $5,721,676.30. The total debt outstanding on the 1st inst., less $364,160,513.84 cash in the treasury) was $1,509,786,080.81.

FREIGHTS—Market very dull with indications unchanged. Iron talks for 42s 6d for orders, but would hardly scorn a firm offer of less. The Bessarabia, Oberon, Harry Bailey and Rowland Hill crossed out yesterday in addition with those named this morning. A vessel is to be laid on at San Francisco for Adelaide, and another gets 31s 6d for flour to Dublin.

WHEAT—Shippers are not seeking new business as our market is too far below a parity with the selling markets to admit of fresh operations. Needs being considered provided against by shippers they can hold back. Millers are still paying well up for valley, 93 cents being paid at Salem yesterday. This is nearly $1 80 here. We quote Walla Walla $1 70; valley, $1 77½ here.

The supply of wheat in sight in the United States and Canada (exclusive of California and Oregon, December 4, was 32,25[illegible],000 bushels and of corn 8,[illegible]4,200 bushels. At the same period last year the supply was 20,118,550 bushels wheat and 4,079,507 bushels corn. The week's figures show a decrease in corn of 314,700 bushels, and an increase in wheat of 845,000 bushels as compared with the previous week.

APPLES—Something of a drag at 75@$1 for good to choice. An occasional lot of fancy sells better.

HOPS—Nothing doing and the selling pressure appears to be growing.

CHICKENS—Rather plentiful at $3@4 50 as to size and condition.

DUCKS—Some demand at $4@5 for desirable.

GEESE—Quote, $8@10.

TURKEYS—In light request with prime selling at 11c.

EGGS—Fresh sold at 40c, although the disposition to demand 45c is growing.

PRODUCE RECEIPTS—Past 24 hours 4914 ctls wheat, 34 9 bbls flour, 335 ctls. bran, 390 ctls. millstuff, 255 sks potatoes, 2,130 1b hides, 10 cs eggs, 120 bxs fruit, 5 pkgs butter, 140 bls hay, 100 bbls lime. Also 12,407 ctls wheat, 3310 bbls flour 1900 lbs hides from the eastern section.

SHIPPING NOTES.

The Columbia sails to-night.

The Oregon sails from San Francisco to-morrow.

The State of California reached San Francisco at 6 P. M.

Markets by Telegraph.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.

Weather, frosty; wind, light, northeast.

Receipts—Wheat, 90,000 ctls, including 80,000 aboard ship; corn 7000 ½ sks; oats, 2259 ctls; potatoes, 600 sks; eggs, 20,000 doz, including 13,800 doz eastern.

Freights—The market is very quiet. Chartered—For Dublin with flour, Br sh Eastminster, iron, 1146 tons, 27s 6d; for sugar from Manila to New York, Br sh Stillwater, wood, 1000 tons, terms private; for merchandise to Adelaide, Br bk Oriento, iron, 595 tons, private terms.

Wheat—Quiet but firm at $1 82½@1 85 for No. 1 shipping; futures, prices against buyers; No. 1 white, seller the year, $1 81@1 81¼, seller the season, $1 83; buyer the season, $1 86 bid $1 86½ asked.

Flour—Steady at former quotations, but quiet.

Barley—Feed. Spot, firm, with a good demand, $1 01@1 05; futures, higher; No. 1, seller the year, $1 02; seller the season, $1 03¾@1 04; buyer the year, $1 05¾; buyer the season $1 16@1 16¼.

Oats—Offerings continue liberal; market lacks strength; quotations as before, $1 5@1 60.

Corn—New, weak and dull, $1 40@1 45; old firm, $1 55@1 60.

Potatoes—Petaluma and Tomales, 80@90c; Salt Lake, unchanged; market a shade firmer.

Dried Fruit—Inactive.

Green Fruit—Apples, mixed lots, dull; choice, scarce, $1 50@1 75.

Salmon—Very quiet.

Wool—Dull.

Hops—Inquiry is fair, but high asking prices check business.

Eggs—Eastern, by lex [illegible] 33½c.

Butter—Pickled, 25@27c.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 14.

January options: Wheat higher, 97¾c; pork, higher, $14 15; lard, lower, $8 75; ribs, higher, $7 12½; short ribs, lower, $7 30.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.

Wheat, quiet; flour and wool steady.

MONEY MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.—Sterling exchange on London bank sixty days $4 81¾; documentary, $4 81.

Transfers—1[illegible]

Bank of England rate of interest—3 per cent.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Silver bullion, 1000 fine, per fine ounce, 110 [illegible]

[illegible] United States bonds—3s 110¾; 4½s, 114½; 4s, 12[illegible].

LONDON, Dec. 14.—Consols, 100 1-16@100 3-16 money; 100¼@100 5-16 account.

Silver bullion, English standard, 925 fine, per fine ounce, 50 13-16.

BEERBOHM'S FOREIGN BREADSTUFFS REPORT.

LONDON MARKETS.

LONDON, Dec. 14.

Floating cargoes—Dull.

Cargoes on passage and for shipment—Rather easier.

Mark Lane—Quieter.

Country markets, English—Quiet.

Country markets, French—Steady.

California Standard No. 2, per 500 lbs., just shipped or promptly to be shipped, nearly due, 40s. (Quotations understood to be midway between iron and wooden ships.

LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 14.

Spot market—[illegible] California No. [illegible] standard per cental, 8s 11d.

PARIS MARKETS.

PARIS, Dec. 14.

Spot market—Wheat and flour—Steady.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.—Arrived—Str State of California, Portland; str San Pedro, Tacoma; ship Richard III, Nanaimo; Ger sch Thalia, Tres Marias. Sailed—Bar George W. Elder, Victoria; Br shp Sierra Estrella, Cork; [illegible] Salado, Tacoma. Cleared—Str Oregon, Portland; sh Grecian, Coos bay; bk John Worster, Sydney; Br ship Pengwern, Nanaimo.

PORT TOWNSEND, Dec. 14.—Arrived—Ger bk Anita Döhne, bk Ardross, bkt J. C. Funk and sch Rosa Mayer, San Francisco.

PORT BLAKELY, Dec. 14.—Arrived—Bg Tanner, San Francisco.

ASTORIA, Dec. 14.—8 A. M.—Clear; east wind; str Queen of the Pacific arrived 8 A. M., left up 9 A. M. Br bk Ironsides left out 7:30 A. M.; Br bks Oberon, Harry Bailey and Rowland Hill and str A. L. Field crossed out yesterday. Imperial crossed out 9:30 A. M., sch [illegible] Orleans down.

ASTORIA, Dec. 14.—Br ship [illegible] crossed out this afternoon.

MINING STOCKS REPORT.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.

Belcher	60	Mexican	2 05
Best and Belcher	2 60	Northern Belle	20
Bodie Con	75	Ophir	10 20
Chollar	2 10	Overman	25
Con. Virginia	50	Potosi	90
Eureka Con	3 10	Sierra Nevada	3 20
Exchequer	40	Union	2 80
Gould and Curry	1 85	Utah	1 55
Grand Prize	25	Yellow Jacket	1 75
Hale and Norcross	1 15	Alpha	1 10
Savage	95	Crown Point	85
Cal fornia	17	Mt Diablo	2 40

NEW YORK STOCKS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.

North Pacific com	25¼	Pacific Mail	42¼
North Pacific Pref'd	53¾	Northwestern	116½
Oregon & Transcon	36¼	Lake Shore	99
O. R. & N. Stock	102½, 102, 101½, 101	New York Central	116
		St Paul	29¾
Western Union	78¾		

CLOSED.

Or. & Trans	35¼	O. R. & N. Stock	102, 102¼, 102½, 100, 101
Or. Imp. Stock	50		
Or. Imp. Bonds	90	Western Union	78¾

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining in the postoffice at Portland, Oregon, Dec. 15, 1883. Persons calling for these letters will please state the dates on which they are advertised.

WOMEN'S LIST.

Anderson, Emma L	Myers, Mrs W C
Austin, Mrs J G	Mitchel, Mrs M
Allen, Miss Alice	Mitchell, Mrs Anne
Allen, Emma J	Mitchell, Mrs Clara
Arohlberger, Mrs F	Mills, Miss Rosa
	Marsh, Mrs Elizabeth
Brown, Miss Ella	Marker, Ann
Barnes, Miss Kate	McLellan, Caroline
Burke, Miss	McIntyre, Miss Etta
Bush, Miss Eugenia	Moore, Mrs Ettie
Bass, Miss Lydia	Mordant, Miss Ada C
Bovard, Mrs Lucy T	McGlin, Mrs Margaret
Bernard, Mrs Ann B	Murray, Mrs Susie
Babcock, Mrs Lizzie	McMillan, Miss R L
	McDonald, Miss Cola
Cohn, Mrs Regina	
Conway, Mrs Mary	Nichols, Miss Minnie
Cupp, Fannie H	Nosland, Miss Manly
	Newberg, Annie
Darling, Mrs Zella	
Downs, Mrs N A	Oliver, Mrs W A
Dyer, Mrs C	Osbourne, Mrs Carrie
Dyre, Miss Lorrie	
	Philbrick, Ellen
East, Mrs Mary	Pitman, Mrs Bertha M
Edwards, Carrie	Powers, Mrs Sarah
Eversham, Mrs Chas	
Evans, Mrs Nellie	Quigley, Mrs O
Everett, Ella J	
	Randolph, Mrs E S
Fronn, Mrs Agnes	Richardson, Mrs M
Gordon, Mrs Maggie	Roberts, Miss Delle
Gardener, Mrs John	Roberts, Mrs O L
Gardner, Mrs Kate	Rothens, Miss Mary
	Ross, Miss May
Hagadller, Mrs G	
Headings, Miss Ella	Sparks, Miss Louisa
Hayes, Miss Nellie	Smith, Miss Jennie
Higley, Mrs Florence	Smith, Miss Mina
Huffman, Susie	Smith, Mrs Kate
Hasten, Annie Jane	Smith, Mrs E J
Harrigan, Mrs J W	Stuart, Mrs H P
Harrington, Miss A	
Homan, Mrs Emma A	Tuttle, Mrs Angeline
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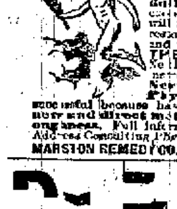

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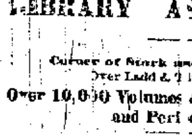

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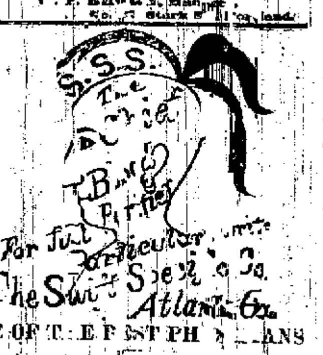

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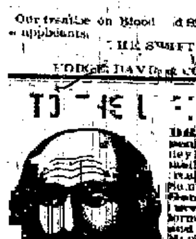

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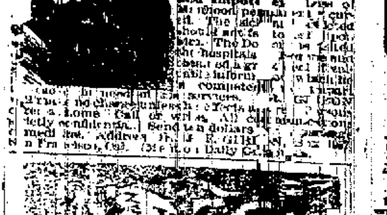

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On and after Dec. [illegible]

DAILY [illegible]

Between PORTLAND and [illegible]

LEAVE		
Portland	7:30 A. M.	[illegible]
Grant's Pass	[illegible]	[illegible]

Albany Express [illegible]

LEAVE		
Portland	4:00 P. M.	[illegible]
Lebanon	[illegible] A. M.	[illegible]

The Oregon and California [illegible] makes connection with [illegible] on the Eastside Division.

West Side Division.

BETWEEN PORTLAND and [illegible]

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LEAVE		
Portland	9:00 A. M.	[illegible]
Corvallis	8:30 A. M.	[illegible]

Express Train

LEAVE		
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A. L. STOKES, Ass't Supt of Traffic.

Oregon Railway and Navigation Company.

FROM PORTLAND [illegible]

State, Tuesday, Dec. 11	[illegible]
Columbia, Friday	[illegible]
Queen, Tuesday	[illegible]
Oregon, Friday	[illegible]
State, Wednesday	[illegible]
Columbia, Tuesday, Jan. [illegible]	[illegible]
Oregon, Sunday, Jan. [illegible]	[illegible]
State, Friday	[illegible]
Columbia, Wednesday	[illegible]
Oregon, Monday	[illegible]
State, Saturday	[illegible]
Columbia, Thursday	[illegible]
Oregon, Tuesday, Feb. [illegible]	[illegible]

Right reserved to change steamers [illegible]

RAIL DIVISION.

Transfer steamer connecting with [illegible] leaves Ash st. wharf, Portland [illegible] Pacific Express arrives at Portland [illegible]

Main Line [illegible] ing at Wallula Junction for points on [illegible] Railroad.

Through Sleeping Cars [illegible] St. Paul.

MIDDLE COLUMBIA RIVER [illegible] DAILY, EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Boat leaves Portland for [illegible]

Boat arrives at Portland from [illegible]

ALSO:

Leave Portland for	Mo	Tu	We	Th	[illegible]
Astoria & Lower Columbia	6 AM	6 AM	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Dayton, Or.	7 AM	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Salem	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Corvallis	6 AM	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Victoria, B. C.	5 AM	6 AM	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

NARROW GAUGE [illegible]

EAST SIDE.

BETWEEN PORTLAND AND [illegible] via O. & C. R. R. [illegible]

On and After May [illegible] Trains for Coburg leave Portland [illegible] Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays [illegible]

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BET. PORTLAND, SHERIDAN AND [illegible] via O. & C. R. R. [illegible]

Leave Portland at 9 A. M. [illegible] for Portland at 6:05 A. M.

Freight for all points on Narrow Gauge [illegible] be received and forwarded by the O. & C. R. R. [illegible] and West Side Divisions, respectively.

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NORTHERN PACIFIC R. R.

WESTERN DIVISION.

PACIFIC DIVISION.

Leave Kalama at [illegible] A. M. [illegible] at 3:42 P. M.

Leave New Tacoma at [illegible] 12:15 P. M.

Connections.

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At Tenino with the O. & C. [illegible]

At Kalama with O. R. & N. Co. [illegible]

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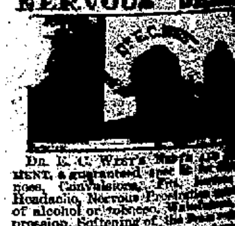

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OFFICE OF [illegible]

SEALED PROPOSALS [illegible] until 12 o'clock [illegible] ing this company [illegible] the operation of [illegible] the period of [illegible] rate bids are invited [illegible] Portland and [illegible] should be [illegible] dressed to the [illegible] reject any or all [illegible]

December [illegible]

as be prepared to go back to its virious sheets its only a burg. I am a bit afraid of a burglar I thought it might be another lawyer you know

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the stock sharpers are banging away my the Transcontinental in Wall street —they're not getting any of my will they get any of it until there's back duck and champagne spend it for The touts have ler to tell about fellows getting broke They have had Dolph broke for but he went east in a train all by had a better lay-out than ever Orleans—or Ladd who is Orleans The latest victim they have selected crushed under the wheels of the it is Kaiser Paul Schulze I a word of it Paul's too shrewd to close to Villard And even if Wall street thieves did take all his they couldn't take away all his good and his champagne, even with a storm The S P is just that much ahead and the trains—and don't let your retentive memory as R R would put it.

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and we city of remarkable real estate and possessed of elements of substantial wealth have experienced an absolute finan from the two severe panics she has from this Transcontinental bubble past ninety days She shows the power however, but she 1882 after the great fire when in by telegraph from eastern whether our people needed help telegraphed back that Portland herself! She has done so already today the handsomest business of any city in America of 35,000 But it is a great pity that the surplus should have been lightened million dollars in one year by a which never had anything to commend were given Wall street the best had in thirty years That grim General Ned Marshall of Cali to the Galveston Houston and road as a fair ad with twelve and sixty miles of rolling stock (the elder) once tried a com both the Nicaragua Steamship and the Nicaragua Transit Company these concerns were wiped out of in 1852, but while they lasted they that touched them—except Vanderbilt. The Transcontinental the same thing, unless the thing and put upon a different basis is at present Just now it begins much like what our facetious Charley Ladd would call a coin have no cemetery and very little within Mr Ladd as a philologist, bounds

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speaking I am not particularly man who loses his money in in of this sort for the simple reason city of Portland offers a score of good inducements for investments If they wanted stocks, why not for the protection of local indus home corporations have paid Portland Gas and Water Company men rich and would have made richer but for the fact that growth of the city neces constant reinvestment of their earn to their plant The Oregon Works are believed to be at least 18 per cent per annum, in ad further enriching the state by the of raw material produced wholly our borders. Indeed you cannot show corporation that has been hon but what has paid a fair return that the above named are close I hope they will always remain to be principal men in them stay invest their money in city prop best better than hawking stock

ty incorporation He wrote to ask the spout to send him a wife and says he has no use for any of the fashionable who embroider granny sacks with bas reliefs of bloated bull dogs and call that work He wants a woman who can cook wash iron and milk cows and who he is willing to work hard and provide a good home The postscript at the close of his letter affords a good key to the applicant's character He says I am 45 years old six feet high and strong as a knox Now then ap sters buy your Northern railroad ticket for Heron Siding and help to check the decline of Transcontinental

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Why the benevolent ladies of Portland should be called upon to furnish wives for the bovine parameters of Montana territory is not altogether clear When John Quincy Adams was asked by a young lady of Boston for aid for the suffering insurgents in Greece, he replied You have the Greeks at your own door Miss And so it is with the ladies of Portland who have the bachelors at their own door There is Tom Davis a giddy youth of 48 with Oliver Van Duzer Boss Schenck Colonel John Green and a lot more unattached young men to hear from And until they are taken in out of the wet no man from Heron Siding need apply—do you hear? It will not do to inaugurate a bad precedent by indulging this Montana stranger in his designs upon metropolitan calico It is our first duty to protect home industry and this Montana man is merely in favor of a wife for revenue only Once let this thing fairly get under way and there's no telling where it will stop The next thing we know, old Uncle Sammy Tilden will be writing out here sending a cipher telegram to the ladies of Portland to send him a wife, and I appeal to an enlightened community to decide whether it is right to hold the young and prosperous state of Oregon responsible for the iniquities of a Louisiana Returning Board?

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A Sunday paper last week stated that U S Marshal Kearney had resigned that position in consequence of his having been appointed to the receivership in the Holladay case Nothing could be further from the truth than the statement above quoted Mr Kearney has not resigned does not intend doing so nor can he, under the tenure of office act, be got out until his term expires It has less than ninety days to run, and at the expiration of that time he may go out, and when he does we are confident he will leave his official archives in as good shape as any man who ever held the office His worst enemies (and he has his share of them) cannot deny that he has made a good and systematic officer Among the names of nearly twenty aspirants for the marshalship at the close of Mr Kearney's term we hear those of George C Sears, Abner W Waters John P Ward, and P Kelly, of Portland and J J Murphy, J McF Patton and Andrew Gilbert, of Salem Perhaps it may fall to some man not above named

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San Francisco clamors for a world's fair in 1887, and asks congress to appropriate one million of dollars for that purpose The claim is not without strong evidences of justice to back it up as California has contributed over half a billion of bullion to enrich the world, promoting manufactures assisting trade and encouraging all the arts and sciences which render the world a great one and which have made the nineteenth to be the greatest century in the world's history. California is already the Mecca of tourists She enriched herself by the Knight Templars conclave last summer and Oregon cheerfully contributed her quota In advocating a world's fair at San Francisco in 1887 Portland plays no second fiddle for she has a transcontinental road and will catch two-thirds of the pleasure travel of that occasion, either going or coming No man will go back the same way he came and the splendid scenery of Oregon Idaho and Montana will attract a good many more tourists than the horned toads and cactus thickets of Arizona I am for the world's fair at Frisco —for I know that all the expense of it will be charged to California, while Oregon will reap her full share of the profits GRIZZL.

unless are ent Dalles people bound for the metropolis the Cascades and get in the F M which will probably be the preferred route until the There will doubtless be a different time table in operation by the 1st of March by which time the rush for the Coeur d'Alene mines will have fairly set in both from Montana on the east and California and Nevada on the west Not less than ten thousand strangers will pass through Portland alone bound for the new El Dorado and our city will reap a rich harvest therefrom On the train with me were several argonauts bound for the new diggings, among them Jack Harrison well known as steward of nearly all the crack steamboats on the Willamette and Columbia rivers during the past twenty years He is a good caterer and will be successful in his proposed hotel venture

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And just look what this mining excitement will do for all the towns between The Dalles and Heron Siding It will probably give them the outfitting and feeding of about 30,000 people of whom fully one-half will come from California and Nevada, and will require saddle and pack horses to get them there and beef and meat to feed them after they get there This Coeur d'Alene excitement is coming just in the nick of time The mines have means to them whatever All the vegetables and flour to feed the toiling thousands who will swarm into Coeur d'Alene lake must come from the upper river country To the worthy grangers of the inland empire it means a good home market for all they can produce until years and to the merchants of the cash ready sales and short credits for all the goods they can put out There will be plenty of business for everybody and plenty of money The Coeur d'Alene mines will attract thousands from the Virginia City mines which are now empty and completely in twenty-five of the Price and also nearly exhausted California she will turn out her who are looking to the new diggings as their last chance for a revival of the golden era which has already lapsed into a legendary tradition on the tongue of a few weary old men There will be a few who make money, and a great many who who do not as was the case with Cariboo but the multitude will flock here as they did there regardless of consequences and meanwhile Portland and her commercial tributaries will profit thereby The year 1884 will be a busy one for the whole of Oregon and Washington territory

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The train arrives at Walla Walla about half past the meridian and the depot lies about a mile northwest of the business center of the town which gives employment to a good many hacks drays and express wagons But I preferred a walk to a free ride to any hotel for the reason that I wished to note the changes that had taken place in the two years which had elapsed since my last visit to the inland emporium This town has really spread in every direction and its changes are unquestionably for the better all the croakers to the contrary notwithstanding Men talk of dull times but they forget that the entire business system of the country has been changed by the substitution of railroad traffic for river navigation and ox trains Six years ago, four firms did virtually all the business of the city in clothing dry goods and groceries and if a man wanted a can of oysters or a pair of shoestrings he would have to go to one of those four stores or to a restaurant or shoemaker's shop Now there are four or five retail dry goods stores and as many merchant tailors' shops together with over a dozen family groceries and crockery stores While Walla Walla was a country town four country stores did all the traffic now it is a city and subject to all the diversions and changes that follow a metropolitan existence The city does more trade than ever, but it is cut up and ramified into a great many channels, demanding smaller profits and ready sales

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The improvements that have gone ahead in the two years which have elapsed since my return from Boise will compare favorably with

not in days Ho will is of better Patsy Duffy and is a brown with a few white the breeders for sale of the by Sir Dan Victoria by Ma grave Argentile and dam Jenny C imported mare All Highland Bryan was by out of Geneva second dam by a the imported mare Holly by Rube Can blood be richer or better?

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The trotters are taking for the winter but at Walla Walla has always maintained its supremacy over the valley the past we may expect her to do in the future She got a great start from old whose posthumous triumphs have been on Belle Foster in California None of his sons have as yet shown his but his daughters and the right across the Walla Walla are to be Clayton is Alwood the are year old a little of and are young a will develop into ster will top tenders are —the weight will get hard to return first principles

I cannot see that the has either of Walla Walla as most of my contemporaries predicted it would do They argued that by creating towns and stations above and below Walla Walla as had been done above and below Salem it would throttle and impoverish the old inland emporium as it had done the capital of Oregon They forgot that Salem is but fifty miles from Portland while Walla Walla is 240 miles but there is a vast space of country intervening which raises no grain, while a vast region on one side of Walla Walla has no railroad to pick up its grain and must therefore ship through the same old emporium All that Walla Walla needs is to keep up her manufactures and all the rest of her old prosperity will stick to her She must have a population of not less than 6000 and that was a bigger town than she was before the railroad reached her If there was any boom in Walla Walla it might have fears for her future but she has none because she needs none She stands on her own merits and courts any and all honorable rivalry A.

A Kentucky Editor Actually Gives Thanks

Danville Tribune

We thank the God of Israel the father of all our mercies for life and health food and clothes home and friends wife and daughter church and Bible money and paper the old flag and a clean army record than parents and literary endowments Danville and good neighbors united country and the glorious republican party and with a contrite and grateful heart we frankly confess we have not deserved and do not deserve a tithe of the blessings which have been vouchsafed to us

What Science Says

Inter Ocean

Scientific men assert that a barrel of bread contains enough alcohol to intoxicate a man It is to be feared however that bread will never become popular as a great American beverage

The duke of Edinburg having apparently given up the idea of again going to sea intends to farm on an extensive scale and to breed cattle

king him that whose was truly Garrick Walpole which argument never two comedies The Good Natured Man and She Stoops to Conquer can better paid He is said to have realized over £600, or Animated Nature History of Rome by which he made £300 a History of England by which he made £600 a History of Greece for which he received £250 and a Natural History for which the booksellers agreed to pay him 800 guineas historical accuracy have the productions, but the and the language that they became very readable and popular work

Notwithstanding the enormous sums which Goldsmith made, at a time when £100 were equivalent to £600 at the present time the was always hard up Towards the close of 1764 his rent had been so long unpaid that his landlady called in a sheriff's officer The delinquent being apprised of the fact sent a urgent to Johnson, and Johnson always kindly sent a message ful I ready to and that Goldsmith had changed the guinea and was railing at the landlady over a bottle of wine Johnson put the cork into the bottle and consider how the was to for Goldsmith told Johnson that he had a novel ready for the press at the same time giving him the manuscript saw that the novel was worthy of publication sold it to a bookseller for £60 and so returned to Goldsmith with the money Of course the landlady was paid and the officer dismissed According to one story Goldsmith gave his landlady a sharp reprimand for her treatment of him, according to the other he insisted on her joining him in a bowl of punch Both stories are probably true the novel under the circumstances was sold was the Vicar of Wakefield

This novel is undoubtedly, one of the finest in the English language, and may almost be termed a classic The plot is not intended to stir or rack the soul, it is more a narration of a simple homely vicar and his family But it is so well written and of such pure diction that it will live only with our language.

The general characteristics of this great man's mind and writings may best be shown by a few lines from a contemporary and an acknowledged critic of a later period—respectively, Dr Johnson and T B Macaulay Dr Johnson says A man with such a variety of powers and such felicity of performance that he always seemed to do best that which he was doing a man who had the art of being minute without tediousness and general without confusion, whose language was copious without exuberance exact without restraint and easy without weakness Though his mind says Macaulay was scantily stored with material he used what he had in such a way as to produce a wonderful effect There have been many great writers, but perhaps no writer was ever more uniformly agreeable His style was always pure and easy and on proper occasions pointed and energetic His narratives were always amusing, his descriptions always picturesque, his humor rich and joyous, yet not without an occasional tinge of amiable sadness

The faults of Goldsmith what they cannot palliate will always be He was vain sensual and frivolous He was full of inconsistencies and absurdities Walpole called him the inspired idiot and Noll said Garrick wrote like an angel and talked like poor Poll His evidence his fondness for games of chance and his absence of high moral and religious principles are deeply to be deplored; but that genuine benevolence kindness sincerity modesty and unostentation save

creation of the representative and the country has acquiesced it is looked upon with favor by the greater part of the people and that their almost universal desire to continue the circulation of these notes as a convenient and which it would be to do without

The public mind is naturally turned to a point all the national bank notes what shall be taken as a safe foundation therefor and yet be so priced that the banks can afford to buy or what can be will the banks safeguard against circulating notes I am not of anything but the interest bearing obligations of the United States government for the securities of other states to go on of our political and judicial and subject ourselves to the creating commotion of their to conflicts of possible hostility country, and of being strange as perhaps an unwelcome The policy of many of the states in the Union the trustees and other like fiduciary persons who are more immediately under the control and guidance of the sovereignty place their moneys in securities which is other jurisdictions than the states It is large degree that policy in the great the debts of the states is to be much more permanent which the United States bonds now offered which will call for scrutiny and not easily to be made and which made, are likely to excite jealousy and other ill feeling To take the obligations of municipalities and other corporate bodies is of impractical also is upon the good faith prudent and solvency of debtors over whom has but little if any direct To take is to launch on a sea of uncertainty sure to wreck the adventurer have been made which some of these categories be specially considered There propositions the vertebral idea of which is the creation of a new form of public debt A plan is to for the government new bond of its own issue at low rate of interest to run a long period in exchange per cents and 4½ per cents, allowing rate of premium upon the latter but lower than present ruling would induce the surrender them for bank circulation I doubt not that this is feasible In that way, if or 4 could capital that lowed on his bond and draw interest at the rate on that as well as on the principal by there would be an inducement to rather than to hold, or the present of desirable sell from the official experience years that capital is ready and to take, at a low rate of interest all the United States bonds that can reasonably be issued that at long time of payment The lower market value which they would have upon their first issue at least would them within the range of profitable those who were not holders, the which to make exchange On the other hand the premium for exchange, to be allowed by the government, may be put at such a figure still be to induce exchange, as the time to be fixed for the redemption of the new bonds the difference in the amount of received on the 4½ and 4 and the the new bonds will have the premium allowed in exchange Should this project be favorably considered data furnished I am so averse to recommending the creation of another of a different that as great as are in my judgment the advantages of the national bank circulation safety in uniformity of value everywhere I look upon such a dernier resort I rather recommend that the internal revenue tax upon circulation in whole or in part per cent per annum and amount to about three millions and a quarter each year

Tennyson's income is about $20,000 a year If he is made a lord he will have no a pension There is no style in $20,000 a year

He gave orders to have all his colts gelded for saddle horses He (Henry) had thrown the colt Darley now known as Lexington as he was about to geld him, in fact to the day of Lexington's death, he carried a scar made by Henry as Henry was about to use his knife the colt kicked at him, the rope not being taut enough which drove the knife blade into Henry's hand between the thumb and fore finger and he will carry the scar to his grave The consequence was the ropes were taken from the colt Darley and he was let up, and by the time that Henry's hand had gotten well Mr Richard Ten Broeck had become the half owner of the colt and from that time the country knows his exploits His progeny under the head of Lexington and his sons Norfolk, Harry Bassett Tom Ochiltree and many others, who have won millions of dollars for their owners.

Henry Brown is now living in Kentucky a splendid specimen of an old time colored man and polite liked by every one whose word is his bond and respected as much for his worth and integrity as any man in Kentucky He has for some years been the trainer of many well known sportsmen—Dr Swigert, Hunt Reynolds Price McGrath and others that I cannot mention. OVERLAND

Sad Case of Insanity

Philadelphia Call

"Papa," she said as the old man sank into an easy chair after a hard day's work at his office "I noticed in the evening paper that sealskin sacques are advancing in price"

"So they are my dear so they are."

"And you know you promised to buy me one this winter"

"I know I did," he replied "and I will keep my word But with the increased price and the scarcity of money I expect it will cramp me somewhat"

"I was thinking" his daughter then said as she clasped a pair of soft white arms about his neck "if it would not be better to wait until next winter My old cloak will do very well, and perhaps sealskin sacques will be cheaper then"

The old man groaned in anguish of spirit and murmured to himself, "My worst fears are realized."

In the morning the young woman was tenderly taken to the insane asylum where it is believed that with proper care she may ultimately recover her reason

"Take Back the Guns that Thou "Stolest.""

Tyack Doe & Co, Danville, Va Advertisement

Individuals and firms borrowed guns and pistols from us during the evening of the riot Some of them failed to return them and it was impossible in the rush for firearms to take a memorandum of the names of all the parties We call upon friends to refresh their memories and examine their premises, and if they should find any property of the kind here advertised not returned or properly accounted for, to attend to the matter at once

From an Independent Standpoint.

Boston Herald

If the Republican party hasn't "restored the Union" so that it is both safe and fitting to give an able honorable and patriotic Southerner a responsible position in the legislative department of the government it is high time that it is retired and give the other party a chance

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King Charles, of Roumania, shows no signs of his German birth He is slim and of average height of brown complexion his hair and beard dark, his eye calm and resolute his voice sonorous and even, and his speech both quick and precise. He speaks solely in French

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William Y Buttes the cowboy poet, was never on the plains in his life but has for years been a government employe at Washington Had he been out there, and did he know what a cowboy really was he'd see himself in Tophet before he'd call himself one

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Miss Phillips of Norwood, R I aged 100 does all her own housework and saws her own wood after bringing it on her back from the woods To a young man looking for a wife Miss Phillips is certainly not without substantial attractions

busy part of the week.
introduced a bill in for the construction of cruising torpedo boats.

the coroner's examination

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and doubts which he is said to have devoted to the truths of the faith, "Ouida," whether you like her or not, is a writer of undoubted power, and she appeals, it is to an intermediate and not over-critical class of readers, among whom proselytes are likely to be made.

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